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CONSULS AT ODESSA ASK GOVERNMENTS FOR WARSHIPS; MUTINY OF THE RUSSIAN SAILORS NOW SPREADING TO OTHER VESSELS

HEART STOPPED BEATING, BUT LIFE SAVED

Peter Eidam, Who Shot Himself Through the Body, Thought to Be Dead by Doctors Operating on Him.

SALT SOLUTION USED TO RESUSCITATE HIM

After Several Minutes of Apparently Hopeless Work the Body Showed Signs of Life—Patient Now Out of Danger.

In the recovery of Peter Eidam, who is now almost in condition to be discharged from City Hospital, the physicians of that institution believe they have the first case on record where a person has lived and regained strength after the pulse had stopped beating for four or five minutes and two operating physicians had pronounced the patient dead.

Eidam tried to commit suicide in Tower Grove Park on the night of June 23, shooting himself through the left side. On his person was found a note to his wife to "Mama," the tone of which indicated that he was dependent over a love affair. He was taken to City Hospital at 10 p. m. and operated upon at midnight.

It was found that the bullet had struck and shattered the fifth rib, carrying the greater part of the bone entirely through the diaphragm and embedding it in the spleen, necessitating the removal of the organ. The spleen is supposed to manufacture new red blood corpuscles and remove the old, and in the course of the operation it was discovered that, owing to the injury to Eidam's spleen, his veins were almost entirely bloodless, while the abdominal cavity was filled with blood.

Heart Stopped Beating.

Suddenly, while the operation was in progress, the hospital physician who was administering the anesthetic to Eidam, and who kept a finger on the latter's pulse, said:

"The heart has stopped beating."

This proved to be the case. There was absolutely no pulse, and after a moment or two had passed another of the physicians said:

"The man is dead."

At this time, two of the assistant physicians left the operating room. The operating physician and the physician who had administered the anesthetic remained, however, and worked, hoping against hope, to restore the patient to life, reasoning that the case might be one of suspended animation. Artificial respiration was continued by working the lungs upward and downward, and was reported to end 450 cubic centimeters of salt solution, a powerful heart stimulant, were injected into Eidam's muscular tissue. The abdominal cavity was also washed out with the salt solution.

When between four and five minutes had passed without a heart-beat being noticeable, there was a faint convulsion of Eidam's body.

Coming Back to Life.

"I believe we'll make it," said one of the two physicians, triumphantly. "He is coming back to life!"

And so it proved. By sure but slow degrees Eidam manifested increasing signs of life, his pulse beating at first so feebly that it could scarcely be felt, and his breathing, being so light as hardly to show against a mirror. But at last he reached a condition that gave the doctors a fighting chance for his life.

Then began a contest which has often been made before in hospitals, but which has almost invariably ended in defeat for the hospital staff and death for the patient. Persons whose hearts had stopped beating have been restored temporarily by the use of the strong salt solution, but this renewed vitality has been but a momentary flicker, the patient dying shortly after. And never before, it is said, has the fight been made with a patient whose heart had not beaten for nearly five minutes—an instance of suspended animation believed to be without a parallel.

The utmost vigilance has been exercised since the moment of Eidam's return to life to keep him from sinking and dying. Once every three hours 60 cubic centimeters of the salt solution have been injected into his muscles. This injection at first comes as a jolt at the point where it is administered, but is then slowly absorbed into the muscular tissue.

Eidam is still almost bloodless, but he is gaining a little strength every day, and the hospital physicians express

SHOT DOCTOR TO TAKE DAUGHTER FROM HOSPITAL

Anxious Parents Went to Institution and Demanded Four-Year-Old Girl Who Was Suffering From Pneumonia.

WOULD NOT WAIT FOR CHILD TO BE DRESSED

Seized Her in His Arms, Shot Physician Whom He Thought Blocked the Way, and Then Ran Away.

Watkinsville, Ga., June 29.—Dragged from jail here by an armed and masked mob, seven prisoners were shot to death in the main street of Watkinsville early today.

An eighth man, only slightly wounded by the volley, had the presence of mind to fall to the ground and lie motionless, and, by feigning death, escaped the fate of his companions.

The man killed were Lewis Robertson, Rich Robinson, Sandy Price, Claude Elder, Robert Harris and James Yearly, all negroes, and Lon Aycock, white. Joseph Patterson negro, escaped.

Four of the mob's victims were held on a charge of complicity in the murder of Mr. and Mrs. A. Holbrook several weeks ago. One was accused of attacking a white woman. The others were held on trifling charges.

The mob formed quietly soon after midnight and, marching to the jail, called on the turnkey, at the point of rifles, to admit them. At a sign of hesitation on his part the threat was made, not only to kill him, but to dynamite the jail.

Considering defense out of the question the jailor surrendered the keys and the prisoners, trembling and begging for mercy, were marched to a corner lot 200 yards from their prison, where all were bound to the pickets, with their hands behind their backs.

At a command by the leader the mob stepped back a few paces, took deliberate aim and fired a rifle, shotgun and pistol volley into the line of prisoners.

The men were riddled by bullets, but that Patterson was only slightly injured, though the fensepost to which he had been bound was torn into fragments by the bullets.

The volley aroused the town. Scores of citizens sprang from their beds in alarm, to find the mob nowhere in evidence.

The lynchers seem evidently to have entered the jail in search of Sandy Price, who was arrested late yesterday afternoon by an Oconee County posse on a charge of assaulting Mrs. Weston Dooley, who lives in the suburbs of Watkinsville. A lynching was narrowly averted at the time of his arrest.

Harris, who is a metal polisher, lives in a two-room house at the North Sixteenth street address. There are five children in the family, ranging from 17 months to 9 years in age. Dora is the youngest daughter and the pet of the family.

The mother and father appear to have been brought up to a fearful condition of mind because of the little one's ill health. Four weeks ago, after four physicians had been tried and none of them had satisfied the parents, she was taken to the Centenary Hospital. She had been there about two weeks and seemed to be recovering. It was thought advisable at the hospital, however, to perform a simple operation.

The father was afraid of the operation and one day told the authorities that his wife was very ill and wished to see their daughter. He was allowed to take her home.

Five days later he took Dora to the St. Louis Children's Hospital. He has constantly worried about her condition, complaining to the physicians that there were not enough nurses at the hospital, insisting that he be allowed to remain by the bedside at night and otherwise exhibiting anxiety.

Sunday, Monday and Wednesday, so neighbors say, he went to the hospital for the purpose of bringing the girl home. Each time, he told them, he lost his nerve and did not ask for the child.

Thursday morning he and his wife left the house at 6:30 o'clock. Late at night they got the four other children and took them away.

DALLAS GRAIN MAN A SUICIDE

Representative of St. Louis House Kills Himself in Texas City.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

DALLAS, Tex., June 29.—Max Hesselton, manager for the St. Louis Grain and Produce Co. here, committed suicide in a private office, having taken poison. Business trouble is given as the cause. Hesselton came to Dallas some years ago from New York. He and St. Louis relatives and business connections

FATHER SHOOTS DOCTOR TO GET SICK GIRL AWAY

Daughter Lay on Cot in St. Louis Children's Hospital When Parent Called to Take Her Home.

IMAGINED ATTENDANTS BLOCKED HIS WAY

Bearing Little One in His Arms He Ran Out and Escaped With Her—Victim Is but Slightly Hurt.

An anxious father and mother resorted to desperate methods to remove their child from the St. Louis Children's Free Hospital, 40 South Jefferson avenue, Thursday morning, the father finally shooting and slightly injuring Dr. H. M. Morrow, resident physician. The shooting occurred in a ward where several children lay on cots.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Harris, 110 North Sixteenth street, are the parents. After escaping from the hospital with the child they took it to the home of a family named Levison, friends of theirs, living on the third floor of the house at the northeast corner of Eighth and Wash streets, where the mother and child were found Thursday afternoon by detectives, the father having disappeared. The child is now critically ill as a result of the shock and exposure.

For the child's welfare, that had prompted them to try four physicians and caused them to remove the child, the father and mother, who told them that it was too early to remove the little girl. When they insisted, however, he directed Dr. Morrow to get her ready.

The parents appeared at the hospital door at 8:45 a. m. They were excited and demanded of the attendant, who came to the door, that their daughter, Dora, aged 4 years, in the hospital, suffering from pneumonia, be given to them at once. The girl referred them to Dr. Julius Rotteke, senior physician, who told them that it was too early to remove the little girl. When they insisted, however, he directed Dr. Morrow to get her ready.

Not waiting for this, Harris followed the physician into the ward where his little daughter lay, declaring that he should not be deprived of her. He picked her up from the bed and started from the room.

Thinking that the physicians and nurses gathered there meant to stop him, he drew a revolver from his pocket and fired a rifle, shotgun and pistol volley into the line of physicians.

The gunner sprang from his bed and fired at Dr. Morrow, who stood near the entrance to the hall. The bullet struck Dr. Morrow above the right eye. It glanced, however, and the wound is not serious, although it bled profusely.

With the child in his arms, wrapped only in her night gown, Harris rushed from the building and disappeared. He was seen to run north on Jefferson Avenue, his hat falling from his head to the sidewalk in front of the institution. The wife had evidently gone quickly.

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Scene in Children's Free Hospital When Crazed Father Shot Doctor and Ran Away With His Sick Child



THREE LOSE LIVES IN BURNING HOTEL

Rolla Woman and Daughter, and Willow Springs Man Perish at Licking.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

LICKING, Mo., June 29.—The Collier Hotel, a two-story frame building, was destroyed by fire last night. Mrs. V. L. Sheep and her 4-year-old daughter, Harriet, of Rolla, and Emmett Sticer, a blacksmith from Willow Springs, were burned to death. Mrs. Sheep is the wife of Dr. V. L. Sheep, a dentist of Rolla.

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BARR'S SOLD TO SYNDICATE OF LOCAL MEN

Thos. H. McKittrick and Murray Carleton Arrange Details for Securing Control of the Big Department Store.

GEO. M. WRIGHT TO BE PRESIDENT AND MANAGER

From various sections of the corn belt of Missouri and Illinois, Eastern Nebraska and South Dakota, heavy rains are reported. In the New England States cooler weather prevails, as also in the Lake region, the Upper Mississippi Valley and the Northwest, while from Eastern Oregon comes the report of frost.

The wakeful burglar went to a closet, where he got Mr. Hirbe's trousers, a woman's white silk dress, with a woman's photograph in the case, and a gold chain. Mr. Hirbe learned of it six hours later when he went to dress.

The thief entered through a side window on the first floor. He is described as 5 feet 8 inches tall, 170 pounds, wearing dark clothes and a dark derby.

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Cool Weather to Continue

Showers Are Promised and St. Louis Will Be a Summer Resort for Awhile.

Rain in the very near future and no distinct promise of better conditions, save that warmer weather is not imminently threatened, is the existing weather outlook. The official forecast:

"Showers Thursday night and Friday. Moderate temperature. Variable winds."

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LOTTERY RUN AS TRANSACTION IN OIL LANDS

RUSSIAN SAILORS AID ODESSA RIOTERS

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Warrant Issued for Man and Wife on Charge of Violating Anti-Lottery Laws — Husband Arrested.

SOLD OPTIONS ON OIL LANDS IN LOUISIANA

Detectives Say That Branches for the Sale of "Options" Have Been Established in Various Cities.

Warrants charging the establishment of a lottery and the sale of lottery tickets were issued Thursday against Clayton L. Stoner and his wife, Mrs. Emma Stoner, of 4015 Morgan street.

Stoner was arrested and gave a common law bond for \$1000. His wife's arrest was deferred.

Warrants were issued Thursday against Stoner and his wife, Mrs. Emma Stoner. Stoner is charged with establishing a lottery; Mrs. Stoner is charged with selling lottery tickets.

Five detectives made the arrests and confiscated about 500 blank tickets, which purported to be options for \$1 from the Louisiana Trust Banking Co. of New Orleans or numbered sections of the "Capital Oil Lands" in Vermillion Parish, La.

With the tickets were also taken copies of hats resembling lottery prize hats, which showed a capital cash prize of \$300,000, and other subsidiary and approximate prizes.

Stoner gave a common law bond for \$100 pending action by the Prosecuting Attorney's office.

It is charged that Stoner had established agencies for the sale of these options, and that Detective Cunningham and his men employed him under him as a branch manager. The "option" recites:

"I will give the undersigned the option to purchase for \$50, within 60 days from date, a one-twentieth interest in lot No. (numbered stamp in) of the oil lands described as having been recorded in the office of the recorder of the parish of Vermillion, in the State of Louisiana, and it is stipulated that the sum for the option shall be considered as a part of the purchase price for a one-twentieth interest in said lot in the event of the exercise of this option."

It is signed "L. A. Gourdin," and on the reverse side, in large letters, is printed: "The sale of options is legal."

Letters taken with the "options" and hats bear the stamp of the Louisiana Trust Co. and the date-line, "New Orleans, June 21, 1905." The letter also alleges that branches for the sale of "options" are being sold throughout the country.

SAYS OIL TRUST CONTROLS ROADS

Jefferson City Man Tells of Difficulty in Getting Oil From Independents.

C. Lohman, for 30 years an oil dealer in Jefferson City, was the witness Thursday morning in the hearing by which the State is trying to establish its charge that the Standard Oil Co., the Waters-Pierce Oil Co. and the Republic Oil Co. are in an unlawful combination to monopolize and appropriate the oil business in Missouri.

The hearing was before Special Commissioner Anthony of Frederikton, and was held in the Court of Appeals room.

Mr. Lohman said that for the greater part of his business career he had been in competition with agents of the Waters-Pierce Oil Co., although at times he had bought oil from that company. In the last few years, he testified, the Waters-Pierce company had obtained a complete monopoly of the oil business in Jefferson City.

In an opinion he wrote to the Standard Oil Co. asking quotations on oil delivered to him, the reply was a quotation of \$1 less than he was paying.

This letter, however, was soon followed by another in which the Standard oil company it could not sell oil in its territory.

Trust Controlled Railroads. He said he had been forced to abandon his patronage of independent oil companies because the Missouri Pacific and Missouri, Kansas & Texas railroads had refused to accept oil for shipment to him from the independent companies. He said the Waters-Pierce company had instructed these railroads to take this action.

He said Vice-President Finley of the Waters-Pierce Co. had written a letter to the railroads, telling them to do just that, also instructing that road not to deliver oil from independent concerns to him. This letter was offered in evidence and was admitted after a long discussion.

J. G. Willis, a clerk in the office of the Waters-Pierce and Warehouse Commissioners, was introduced as a witness. He said that neither the Standard Oil nor the Waters-Pierce company seeks advantage in the oil business. He said that while the Waters-Pierce Co. in St. Louis has an uncontested field south of the Mississippi and the Standard in Kansas City has an uncontested field north of the river, and while each company can ship into certain parts of the country, the two oil companies can not control the market, so far as he could see, without some effort to have the rates adjusted.

He said the Waters-Pierce company is seeking to decide for itself the charters of the three defendant companies on the ground that they have violated the anti-trust laws by combining practically one company.

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euted on board the Russian battleship Kniaz Potemkin, is still exposed on

the quay, where it was landed by the crew of the Kniaz Potemkin yesterday. The dead man's comrades who demand that the remains shall be accorded military honors, actively fought on the side of the troops.

MUTINEERS ARRIVE AT TERRIFIED CITY

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch and New York World.

ST. PETERSBURG, June 29.—Odessa has been for weeks on the verge of revolution. Rebellious mutinies have occurred between strong bands of rioters and the Cossack guards.

Until yesterday the soldiers succeeded in maintaining a semblance of order. The arrival of the Kniaz Potemkin and an accompanying torpedo boat was the spark which fired the rebellion. The two vessels steamed into the harbor Tuesday night.

The Russian flag had been hauled down from the battleship's masthead. In its place flew the red flag of revolution. The port authorities signaled the ships to stop. The order was ignored and a launch was sent out to investigate.

As the boatload of officials drew alongside the battleship a seaman ap-

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The mutineers then took their vessel into port and sent ashore the body of the sailor, Omitchuk, whose murder by an officer following the sailor's complaint of the fare served, precipitated the mutiny. The body lay in state on the wharf, and the police were prevented from molesting it by a battery of machine guns from the battleship, which were so placed as to sweep the entire scene.

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BRIDE REPLEVINS ALL HER CLOTHING

Mrs. Schraeder Refused to Surrender Daughter's Effects and Suit Is Started.

NOTE TOLD OF MARRIAGE

List Includes Coats, Dresses, Wash Rags, Safety Pins, Garters and Thimble.

Dear Mammas: Otto and I were married Tuesday and we are happy. Please give me your trunk and clothes. Your daughter, IRMA.

Mrs. Johanna Schraeder of 4062 Cook avenue testified in Judge Hanley's court Tuesday that the receipt of this note gave her the first intimation of the marriage of her daughter Irma to Otto H. Goodrich of 4000 Laclede avenue, where the young couple are now living.

Mrs. Schraeder was naturally angry with her daughter, refused to "give bearer my (the daughter's) trunk and clothes." Whereupon young Mrs. Otto H. Goodrich promptly instituted a replevin suit before Justice of the Peace Hanley, giving the following formidable list of articles which she claimed belonged to her and which she desired returned to her from another's custody:

One trunk; 1 toilet set, 2 boxes, 2 combs, 2 mirrors, 4 gauze belts, 4 undershirts, 4 chemises, 3 black peacock feathers, 1 white lace belt, 1 white lace, 3 dozen handkerchiefs, 1 large silk handkerchief, 1 handkerchief box, 1 umbrella, 1 pair stockings, 1 pair of trousers, 1 silk soap, 1 picture and photographs, books, hair pins, pincushions, pincers, books, hair pins, powder box, needles, cards of pins and safety pins.

The total value of these articles was \$100, and the sum of \$100 had she given bond for twice that amount.

This comprehensive list of a girl's belongings was read in the course of the trial before Justice Hanley, and all the evidence was heard, the court sat in Solomon-like judgment on the case. The bridegroom finally handed down his opinion of the bride's list, Hapley awarded all the articles mentioned in the list, save the one trunk, which, the evidence showed, belonged to a younger brother of the bride's mother.

WILL NOT PERMIT FLAGS HALF MAST

Justice Raymond of Indian Territory Orders Arrest of Any One Lowering Old Glory.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

KUSKOGEE, I. T., June 29.—Orders have been issued by Chief Justice Raymond of Indian Territory to all court commissioners to cause the arrest of anyone caught flying the National flag at half-mast on July 4.

The order followed a threat made by Waiteka business men to half-mast the flag on the anniversary of National independence as a testimonial of the feeling which exists there over the orders to enforce the payment of the tribal tax collection.

Justice Raymond said in explanation of the order that it was not so much because the lowering of the flag to half-mast would offend the Old Glory and a treasonable act toward the government, but that it would undoubtedly lead to fighting and bloodshed among citizens if it was allowed. The Waiteka, where the tribal tax feeling is very strong, such an act would be tolerated. There is no animosity resulting from this action. It is not that it would cause talk over the whole country prejudicial to the Territory and operate to the detriment of the Indians. Every good citizen in the territory wants the Indians to be free from interference from non-resident officials, who have no interest in the territory, except to extort money. They may be tempted, the citizens of the Territory will be much better off and the country will be made more independent to the position which will command the respect of the country at large.

Temple Club Euchre.

The Temple Club will give its regular weekly euchre Friday at 8 p. m. at 410 Pine street.

Keep Bright Brains Clean BY POSTUM FOOD COFFEE

in place of ordinary coffee.

"He Who Worries Before It Is Necessary

Worries more than is necessary."

If a TENANT is to leave—or the COOK or the CLERK—
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Post-Dispatch
Want Ad
WILL MAKE

WORRY UNNECESSARY

YOUR druggist is OUR Want Ad Agent.

"Catch" of "Kerry Patch," "Danny" Halloran, Marries



MRS. DANIEL J. HALLORAN
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SENATORS DEMAND CONSUL'S REMOVAL

American Consul Mills at Chihuahua, Mexico, Accused of Corruption.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

HOUSTON, Tex., June 29.—Charges against United States Consul Mills at Chihuahua, Mexico, have been prepared for presentation through United States Senators Bailey and Culberson, who was accused of using his influence to keep Stewart in the penitentiary. The consul says he compiled this statement under threat of being dismissed.

The American Consul's Association

through whose labors Mac Stewart, the Confederate soldier, then serving a life sentence in the Chihuahua Penitentiary for the murder of a Mexican policeman, was liberated June 17.

Dr. Lignosky asserts that Consul Mills accepted \$100 in 1900 for services in securing Stewart's release, and afterward sought to force Mac Stewart to sign denial that money had been paid him, under threat of thwarting release negotiations.

Dr. Lignosky further charges that he and Mac Stewart were forced to sign a false statement June 6, 1905, regarding Stewart's crime and his treatment by the Mexican authorities, which was afterwards published in Texas newspapers as an affidavit.

The American Consul's Association

has passed up to arbitration by a commission of two each from the miners' workers' organization and a fifth to be chosen by the four.

H. C. Pease and W. H. Ryan were appointed to represent the miners' workers and A. J. Moorshead of St. Louis and H. N. Taylor of Chicago the operators.

The fifth member will be chosen in a day or two.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CHICAGO, June 29.—Officials of the United Mine Workers' and the Illinois Coal Miners' Operators' Association have reached an agreement in the conference over their dispute as to the division of the extra cost in operation of mines due to the requirements of the shot-firers' law, which goes into effect

July 1, and which is designed to make mining more safe and was supported before the Legislature last winter by the mine workers' officials.

The agreement covers all points in dispute, and by whom the additional inspectors made necessary by the law are to be paid.

The agreement, on which there was no agreement, was passed up to arbitration by a commission of two each from the miners' workers' organization and a fifth to be chosen by the four.

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LOOK OUT

For the gem offered in "Ready-to-Wear" goods by the merchants in every Friday's POST-DISPATCH.

IN JAIL AT WARRENTON

Negro Who Beat Mrs. Bunce at New Truxton Under Arrest.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WARRENTON, Mo., June 29.—Charles Cole, who assaulted Mrs. Mata Bunce at New Truxton Monday, was captured at Texas Junction Wednesday afternoon by H. Hukriede of Truxton.

The negro was taken to St. Charles and lodged in jail Wednesday night. Sheriff Dyson brought the prisoner here. According to Mrs. Bunce was badly beaten by the negro and lay several hours unconscious. She is suffering from her injuries.

No demonstration against the negro is feared.

Jugents

ALTERATION SALE REMNANT DAY

Early Closing

Beginning next Saturday and continuing until September ninth, this store will close daily at 5 o'clock and on Saturdays at one.

Closed All Day
Tuesday,
July 4th

A Colossal Purchase of Men's Summer Suits

Bought with our ever-ready cash! Entire stock of Men's Suits from Present & Company, makers of men's high class ready-to-wear clothing, at 596-598 Broadway, New York. An immense stock of summer weight suits offered at less than cost of the cloth alone! See these unparalleled offers in our show windows!

LOT ONE—Two-piece Outing Suits and three-piece Business Suits, in this season's latest and handsomest styles! Very attractive patterns in nobby gray, brown, olive and blue cheviots, homespuns and cassimeres, in sizes 33 to 42 chest.

**Men's \$8.00 and
\$10.00 Suits,** \$4.75
Your choice of this lot for

\$4.75

LOT TWO—Two-piece Outing Suits and Three-piece Business Suits in this season's swellest designs for summer wear, in navy blue serge and in gray, brown and olive mixed homespuns, cheviot and cassimeres. Sizes 33 to 42 chest.

**Men's \$12.00 and
\$15.00 Suits,** \$6.75
Your choice of this lot for

\$6.75

Extra Special Offer! Men's Straw Hats
A special purchase of sixty-three dozen Men's Nobby, Stylish Straw Hats, containing this year's correct shapes, sizes and materials! These were made to retail at \$1.50 and \$1.75 each, but during this sale we give you choice of the entire collection for \$1.00



Women's Summer Waists and Suits

Money-saving chances of great interest to women! Seaside garments that have been crowded from our stockrooms by the store alterations!

SPECIAL!—A small lot of white wash skirts, with pleated flounce and pleated seams—all sizes—were \$3.75 each—also lot of White Brilliantine Skirts with tucked yoke and pleated bottom—were \$3.95 each. Your choice of both styles, Friday, while they last, at

\$6.95 and \$7.05 Skirts cut to \$3.50

\$8.95 and \$10.00 Skirts cut to \$5.00

\$12.75 Silk Skirts cut to \$7.95

SHIRT-WAIST SUITS—At cut prices! As a special bargain tomorrow we offer a lot of \$2.00 Lawn Shirt-Waist \$1.00

Several styles of pretty Lawn and Linen Waists—all sizes in the lot from 32 to 44 bust—some hand-embroidered, some hand-drawn work—were \$3.75, \$3.95 and \$5.00 each.

Choice now for \$2.25

Fine Linen Waists with hand-drawn work and stock collar—34 to 44 bust—sold at \$4.50, \$5.00 and \$6.00 each, at \$2.95

As old lot of pure white India Linen Suits, trimmed with side pleats and hemstitching—were \$3.00. All sizes \$2.95

Small lot of pure white Linen Suits, trimmed in several pretty styles with embroidery and lace—were \$3.95, \$6.95 and \$7.50 each. Choice \$3.75

A lot of Silk Shirt-Waist Suits, comprising several kinds, but only one or two of a kind—\$12.00 Linen Suits now on sale for \$5.00

\$18.00 and \$20.00 Linen Embroidered Silk Suits. \$10.00 and \$18.00 Taffeta Silk Suits. \$8.95

SHIRT WAISTS—Broken lots at cut prices! An odd lot of Linen and India Linen Waists in many styles—were \$1.95 to \$2.50 each. Your choice \$1.25

\$22.75 and \$25.00 Linen Embroidered Suits, at \$12.75

\$27.50 and \$29.75 Linen Suits for only \$15.00

\$4.00 Millinery for 89c

A sensational statement, but it's true! An odd lot of ladies', misses' and girls' trimmed and untrimmed hats—some slightly soiled and mussed!

Among them you'll find misses' white milan sailors with colored edge and velvet bow—velvet trimmed straw polo turbans—chiffon and braid ready-to-trim shapes—

and scores of other styles in hats that we sold earlier in the season for \$3.00 and \$4.00 each. Your choice Friday at

Worth \$2.35, per pair. \$1.25

Belts Some Startling Bargains Here!

Odd lot of Ladies' crush velvet, silk and leather Belts, that were \$3.00 to 50c each. Your choice Friday for

5c

Odds and ends of silk Belts in black and colors—some slightly mussed—were 50c to \$1.00 each—your choice for

10c

White embroidered linen wash Belts; worth 10c each—here Friday at

10c

Silk shirred Belts in black and colors—also a few leather belts—goods that were 50c to \$1.25 each. Now only

15c

Collar Foundations in black or white—broked line of sizes—were 10c each—Friday

1c

Toilet Soap—A mixed lot of regular 5-cent toilet soaps; Friday, per cake

2c

Sponges—100 fine large 35-cent and 50-cent bath sponges—Friday

19c

Odd lot of 75c summer weight bed blankets. Silver gray with fancy borders—a bargain at

17c

Women's black double-tipped silk gloves, with 2-clasp wrists and silk seen. White, black and all colors. Were 25c and 35c.

An odd lot Friday at

10c

Women's black double-tipped silk gloves, and are guaranteed just the same as if sold at the regular price. Friday they're

79c

Watch our windows for reduced prices on spring and summer shoes for men, women or child. G. H. Boehmer Shoe Co., 419 B-way.

St. Louis has more Post-Dispatch readers every day than it has homes. First in everything.

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Sewing Machines

We are closing out our Sewing Machines at great reductions. Only a few left in drop-head style, with latest improved nickel attachments. \$18.00 machines \$12.00. Fifth Floor—Five elevators.

Barnsley Paintings

Our entire line of the celebrated Barnsley Paintings, just at a wonderful sacrifice. These are the original Barnsley paintings, not copies. Actual \$25 to \$50 values at \$7.50. Fourth floor—Picture Store.

An Announcement

BEGINNING Saturday, July 1st, this store will close at 1 p.m. on Saturdays and 5 p.m. on other days until Sept. 4th, inclusive.

The Really Different Store
The May Co.
Washington Ave. and Sixth Street

An Announcement

ALL charge purchases made on and after this date will be entered with the July 2 count, and the bill will be rendered August 1st.

Jewelry Clearing

SPECIAL clearing of Brooches, Watch Sets, Classy Hat Pins, Necklaces and Stick Pins in gold plate, sterling silver plate and enamel; 25¢ to 50¢ values, at 10c. Main Floor—Aisle Four.

Clearing Belts

ATTENT Leather Belts with stitched ends. Gloves, mitts, clearings, etc., 50c. Wash Belts of Poplin and Duck, prettily embroidered. Clearing price, 25c. Main Floor—Aisle Three.

The Great Summer Clearing Sale Takes on New Life

HERE is the newest page of bargains ever published—and one that every woman will read and heed with alacrity. Even twelve full pages like this would not exhaust the remarkable values in desirable, seasonable Summer Merchandise, and every bargain on this page is reinforced by a dozen others of equal interest to shoppers. Every department has contributed remarkable values, and, judging by their character, tomorrow will be the greatest day of the Summer Clearing Sales.

Free Fans—Every lady visiting our store tomorrow will be presented with a pretty Japanese folding fan.

Our Daily Announcements have resulted in such overwhelming responses that great heaps of specially priced goods have melted away hours before we thought such a thing possible. It seems like magic, but the whole truth is, that the buying public of St. Louis have learned to take us literally at our word—to know that when we advertise an article at half price, we mean HALF price.

American Flags—All sizes. Also red, white and blue bunting for decorative purposes on the 4th. Basement Salesroom.

Clearing the Wash Goods

BEAUTIFUL 30-inch Silk Organzines in large floral designs, in a splendid range of colors, in the regular 18c quality. Clearing price, 21c.

27-inch Tulle Plaids, with the double crepe effect. Beautiful colorings in the 25c grade, at yard..... 19c
27-inch Silk Mulls in plain colorings, in the regular 18c quality. Clearing price, 12c.
27-inch Shantung Silks, with colored figures and small checks. Special clearing price, yard..... 15c
Main Floor—Sixth Street.

Clearing the Pretty Silks

HARMING 18-inch Louise Organzines for Waists, Suits and Walking Suits. All colors of these exquisite 48c Silks. Clearing price, 25c.

25-inch Changeable Organzines in a splendid range of colors for street wear. The 31c quality at..... 59c
26-inch Natural Organzines in a heavy quality for Coats and Walking Suits. 1.25 quality at..... 75c
Main Floor—Front.

\$2.50 Oxfords, \$1.49

GODEN'S Patent Kid, Black Vichy and Tan. Very Kid Oxford in Blucher lace, plain in styles, with hand turned or welted soles; also Patent Kid Pump Ties—the most elegant All sizes and widths of these \$2.50 Oxfords..... \$1.49
Children's Shoes in lace or button styles, with turned soles; sizes 4 to 8; 1.25 qualities, at..... 39c
Main Floor—East Door.

Clearing the Hosiery

GODEN'S very pretty sample Stockings, in fine black cotton and silk, variously colored; also fancy colors. These are 25c to 35c values at..... 19c
Women's Sampin Hosiery in various colors, with lace work; 35c to 50c values at..... 29c
Women's Elegant Stockings, in all-over lace, or with lace at the toe; 35c Stockings at..... 35c
Main Floor—Aisle Six.

Beautiful \$2 to \$3.50 Lingerie Waists, \$1.39



JUST 2760 charming white lingerie Waists from a high-class maker who preferred to quickly clear his warerooms even at a great loss, rather than face a still larger one later. They're beautiful full-bloused models in Persian lawns, mulls and India linons, with full length or elbow sleeves and dainty insertions of embroidery or lace in fancy designs.

Many come in the yoke effects with collars attached and new full puff sleeves, exquisitely trimmed with laces and embroideries. All are clean, fresh waists, right from the maker's hands and none worth less than \$2, \$2.50, \$3 and even \$3.50. Clearing Price, \$1.39

200 White Wash Skirts at Half Price

A special purchase just in time for the "Fourth." Everyone will want one or more of these fresh, cool summer Skirts at these prices. We have divided the entire purchase into three lots as follows:

Pretty \$2 White Wash Skirts, 95c Fine \$3 White Wash Skirts, \$1.45 Dainty \$4 White Wash Skirts, \$1.95
\$2 Indian Head Duck Skirts with fancy kilted bottom. Very stylish new models. \$2 values at..... 95c Fine Indian Head and Linon Skirts with kilted and plaited flounces, \$3 skirts at..... \$1.45 Fine Linon and Indian Head Duck Skirts with fancy flounces. Beautiful \$4 skirts at..... \$1.95

Second Floor—Five Elevators and the Moving Stairway.

Simply Marvelous Clearing Bargains in the Economy Basement Salesroom!

7½ Laces at 2½

Tomorrow we will place on sale 1000 yds. of Torchon lace and Valenciennes lace. Black, white, yellow and other colors. Appliques in the regular 7½ quality—24c
Clearing Price, yard..... 24c

\$5 Skirts at \$2.50

Charming White Sicilian Skirts in a deep flounced style, killed all around. A very popular skirt which washes splendidly. Regular price \$5. Reduced price..... 2.50
Lawn Wrappers in neat light ground with flounced skirt; full cut \$1.25 yards..... 43c

Lawn Shirt-Waists with prints and lace insertion. 75c to \$1 values. Clearing price..... 35c
Main Floor—Aisle Three.

\$3.50 Light Gray Walking Skirts, \$1.95

ORBRY Wool Skirts in stylishly plated styles with kilts at bottom, set off with a strap and button to match. Spangled lace waist. Only a limited number of these very pretty well tailored \$3.50 skirts at..... \$1.95
Basement Salesroom—Five Express Elevators and Two Broad Stairways to facilitate the buying. Plenty of room and light.

Men's Collars at 3c

There is a wonderful special! About 1500 Men's and Boys' Collars—odds and ends of perfect goods, but slightly soiled—regular value 15c—pick them out at..... 3c

Clearing Ribbons

Beautiful Ribbons at half price! These come in Dresden, Roman stripe, wide Jacquard, floral and fine wide ribbons, 5 to 7 inches. All pure silk 50c ribbons at..... 25c

Stock Tissue Ribbons in all colors, 2 in. wide, 3 to 5½ inches wide. Sale price, 4c yard..... 4c

Children's Hair Ribbons in all colors. 2 in. wide. Sale price, 3c
Main Floor—Aisle Three.

\$1.00 Waist Patterns, 29c

Regular \$1.00 Waist Patterns containing 3 yards of fine 18c sheer India Linen. Perfect for embroidery for the collar, cuffs and front; \$1.00 values at..... 29c

18c Embroidered Swisses, 8c

They are in linen shade; also with white embroidery, embroidered dots; 18c grade..... 8c

18c Silk Mouselines, 10c

Dark blue, tan, black and cream Silk Mouselines. 10c in 25c qualities at..... 10c

15c Colored Lawns, 8c

Colored Lawns, in neat floral designs and stripes, 15c
grades. Friday, as long as they last, at..... 62c

15c Organzines, 6c

Colored Organzines, Batiste and Damask. Friday, as long as they last, at..... 62c

15c Crepe Cloth, 10c

Just the thing for kimono and dressing saucers; regular 15c
grade; 10c values at..... 5c

15c Crepe Cloth, 10c

Black, white and other dark grounds, with neat figures; 15c
values at..... 5c

18c Shirting Madras, 11½c—26c

Shirting Madras, for shirts and shirt-waist, 11½c
values at..... 11c

10c Ginghams, 6c

They are mostly pink and blues, in the regular 10c grades at..... 62c

15c Sheer Organzines, 10c

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Beginning Saturday
July 1st, We Close
Daily at 5 O'Clock
and Saturdays at 1 O'Clock

Decorate on the 4th
FRIDAY we will place on sale 500 U. S.
Cotton Bunting Flags with heavy
canvas heading; bright, fast colors; sewed
throughout.

Size 4x6 ft.; worth \$1.00, at... 50c
Size 5x8 ft.; worth \$1.75, at... \$1.00
Size 6x10 ft.; worth \$2.00, at... \$1.25

GRAND-LEADER
Stix, Baer & Fuller Dry Goods Co.
The Fastest-Growing Store in America.

Blouses, Overalls

BOYS' BLOUSES of good quality, light
and dark striped Percales; ages 4 to
12 years; worth 25c; special 19c
BOYS' OVERALLS of best indigo blue
denim; with bib and shoulder straps;
assorted sizes; worth 25c; special 19c
(Basement.)

McCall's Bazaar
Patterns for August
10c and 15c
On Sale in Basement



Bargain Friday at Grand-Leader Is a Great Economy Occasion

Sale of Women's Oxfords Is Creating a Furore

EVERYBODY marvels at the values, and there is a reason \$1 why they should. The very newest styles in Women's Oxfords, in all sizes and widths; \$2, \$2.50 and \$3 values are offered at \$1 a pair. They come from Harvey E. Guptill, Haverhill, Mass., and comprise canceled orders, surplus stock and odds and ends; embracing all this season's newest shapes and colors. Tan, black, brown and pongee, in patent kid and vici leathers; light and heavy soles; Cuban, military and French heels—also an immense lot of Strap Slippers; choice of all, \$1 a pair.



Here's a Silk Bargain You Don't Want to Miss

50c and 75c Silks in remnants at 25c a yard. Need we say more to induce you to be here the moment the store opens? And you had better come early if you are coming at all for this bargain, for the lot will sell out in a hurry. It consists of plain and fancy foulards, pongees, etc.; lengths run from 1 1/2 yards to 5 yards; just the silks you want for present use; 50c and 75c grades at, per yard, 25c.

25c

Children's 15c Hosiery 10c

SAVING of one-third on sample lines of Infants' and Children's Hosiery is bound to attract a crowd. Every pair is perfect; fine full seamless, fast black and colored Cotton Hose; plain or drop stitch; double heels and toes; 15c value; per pair.

10c

Millinery for the 4th Wanted Styles Under Price

White Braid Hats—White lace straw braid and Tuscan shapes; nice and clean; worth up to \$1.50 each; choice, Friday.... **49c**

Genuine Tuscan Shapes—in all the very latest blocks; worth to \$2; choice, Friday.... **98c**

White Milan Shapes—Champagne chip hats, etc.; most desirable shapes; worth up to \$2—choice.... **\$1.25**

Women's Duck Hats—The very latest shapes; nicely trimmed; ready for wear; 75c values—Friday at.... **49c**

About 200 Trimmed Hats—All summer styles; the prices have been previously reduced; Friday we offer them at just half the marked prices.

Rug Values for Friday You Should Not Overlook

WE mention here our present and Friday's selling prices. The difference signifies the savings. Well worth a trip down town, don't you think?

Wilton Velvet Rugs; size 27x54 inches; excellent patterns; worth \$2; on sale at.... **\$1.49**

Extra Quality Axminster Rugs; 27x63 inches; worth \$2.75; on sale at.... **\$1.90**

Axminster Rugs; size 9x12 feet; beautiful patterns; worth \$27.50; on sale at.... **\$19.75**

Royal Wilton Velvet Rugs; size 9x12 feet; worth \$42.50; on sale at.... **\$27.50**

Our Finest Wash Goods Priced Far Below Cost

REMNANTS and odd pieces of our finest Wash Goods are booked for clearance Friday and the early ones are going to get some excellent bargains. Pretty Voiles, Silk Ginghams, Organzies, Lawns, Silk and Linen Fabrics, Batiste, etc., in the very newest patterns; lengths running from 3 to 12 yards; goods that we sold at 15c up to 40c a yard; on sale in two assortments.—Main Floor near the elevators.

15c to 25c Wash Goods, yard.... 10c

19c to 40c Wash Goods, yard.... 15c

Handkerchief Specials

Women's fine Swiss Handkerchiefs; elaborately embroidered, scalloped and hemstitched; large assortment of patterns; seconds of 15c kind (in Basement).... **8c**

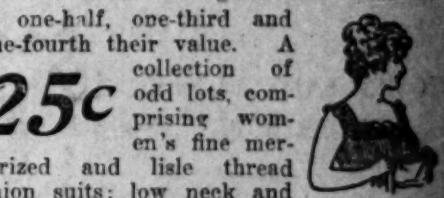
Women's pure linen hemstitched Handkerchiefs; unbordered;富丽堂皇地刺绣的；有花边的；有结的；25c values (on Main Floor).... **12c**

Women's 50c, 75c and \$1 Undergarments for 25c

A TYPICAL Grand-Leader Bargain—

Summer Undergarments for women at one-half, one-third and one-fourth their value. A collection of odd lots, comprising women's fine mercerized and lisle thread

underwear; low neck and sleeveless; silk tape neck and arms; tight knee or umbrella style, with lace trimmed bottoms—also women's silk plaited and fine lisle thread vests; low neck and sleeveless; silk tape neck and arms—and jersey ribbed lisle thread pants; French band; umbrella style; lace trimmed—in addition there are a number of other styles; 50c, 75c and \$1 values; choice of the entire lot Friday at 25c. (Main Floor.)



Sale of Pretty Undermuslins

CORSET Covers, of cambric and long-cloth, full blouse front, yoke of tucks, embroidery and lace finished; lace edge on neck and sleeves. 35c hours, at.... **19c**

WOMEN'S Drawers, of good muslin; deep cambric ruffle, hemstitched yoke band, splendid values at 25c a pair, just about enough for two hours' selling. Friday at per pair.... **15c**



Best Corset Cover Values in St. Louis at 49c

TYPES here illustrated and several others; made of fine nainsook and all-over embroidery; full blouse front; beautifully trimmed with point de Paris, Val, lace insertion and ribbon bordering; finished with lace edge on neck and sleeves; splendid values at 75c; in special sale Friday at.... **49c**

WOMEN'S Gowns of nainsook and cambric; slipover, square and high neck; prettily trimmed with lace, embroidery, tucks and bordering; cut plenty wide and long; splendid values at 98c; special.... **69c**

Women's Petticoats, of good muslin, knee flounce of lawn, trimmed with 4 rows of wide torchon lace insertion and deep lace ruffle, others with 10-inch open embroidery ruffle and cluster of tucks; \$1.98 values, at.... **\$1.25**

Women's Petticoats, of cambric, knee flare ruffle of lawn, trimmed with rows of Point de Paris lace insertion and cluster of tucks, deep lace ruffles, others with English eyelet embroidery insertion and deep embroidery ruffle, \$3.50 values, at.... **\$2.25**

Soiled and Mussed Waists at 1/2 and 1/3 Former Prices

WANT some real Waist bargains? Then come and make selections from this lot of soiled and mussed Waists and odds and ends that have accumulated during the past few weeks; just about 30 dozen in the lot. The bargains are simply immense.

\$1, \$1.25 and \$1.50 Waists for 50c

Most of them are white lawns; a few colored Waists among them; variously trimmed with embroidery or lace insertion, tucks and hemstitching; choice, while the lot lasts, Friday, at.... **50c**

\$2, \$2.50 and \$3 Waists, 95c

About 12 dozen in the lot, and we are afraid they won't last more than an hour; 2 to 6 of a style, of white lawns, Paris lawns, handkerchief and butchers' linens; plain tailored; trimmed with plaits, tucks, hemstitching, medallions and laces; we got \$2, \$2.50 and \$3 for these Waists when they were nice and fresh; choice Friday.... **95c**

Girls' \$1.50 Dresses for 89c

CONSERVATISM prompts us to say \$1.50 values, but there are a great number of \$2.00 values in the lot. Still, they will be the first to go, so we won't promise you better than \$1.50 values; about 15 styles; Russian, Sailor, Bustle, Bow and fancy trimmed Dresses; one and two-piece styles; materials are percales, lawns, chambrays and dimities; in red, pink, blue, tan, solid colors and allover patterns; also stripes and dots; sizes 6 to 14 years—**89c**

Screen Doors and Windows At Greatly Reduced Prices

Adjustable Window Screens; frame made of hardwood, oiled; light colored; worth 10c a yard, at.... **3c**

20 inches high; extends to 33 inches.... **19c**

30 inches high; extends to 37 inches.... **23c**

30 inches high; extends to 42 inches.... **28c**

36 inches high; extends to 42 inches.... **32c**

Lawn Mower; 14-in. Monarch; reg. price \$2.75; reduced to.... **\$1.89**

Garden Hose, Complete, with Reel, **\$3.98**

50-foot length, 3/4-inch, 3-ply guaranteed Hose, with brass couplings, brass spray nozzle and hardwood reel; this outfit is worth \$5.50; Friday, complete.... **\$3.98**

Emery Granite Filter; without a doubt the best household filter made; regular price \$3.00 — Friday, special.... **\$2.25**

This screen door, regular \$9c.... **79c**

This screen door, regular \$12.50.... **95c**

"Why Have You Reduced This \$50 Suit to \$15?"

A Woman Asked Us Wednesday

THESE may be a number of others who would like to know; therefore we answer: The suit was reduced merely to get rid of it. In the fall the same suit would bring considerably more; still, we cannot afford to have anyone come in our establishment and find the same suit they had seen the previous season. The loss entailed by sacrificing our stock on hand is trifling compared to the harm resulting from such a remark: "Why, I was in the Grand-Leader and they showed me the same suits that they were showing last spring." Besides, giving such remarkable values makes friends for a store, and also tends to enhance the value of our newspaper space, because people become accustomed to looking for big bargains in our advertisements. All these things combine to turn the loss into profit.

THE Suits are all desirable. Hundreds of the identical styles are being worn today by the most fashionable women. The styles are newest: Infants' Blouse, Bolero and Frocks and Frills; in reefer, short or long and tight fitting effects; plain and fancy tailored. Materials are chiffons, taffetas, colliennes, silks, cheviots, voiles, serges, Panamas, broadcloths, mohairs, etamines, covert cloths, homespuns, fancy mixtures and men's suiting; all colors and mixtures represented. There is a wide range of trimming ideas and the better garments are made entirely over taffeta silk.

Plenty of sizes to fit the miss of 14 or the stout woman requiring 49 bust measure. Every suit in our entire stock is included in this sale—none reserved.

\$5.00 for Tailor-made Suits worth to \$20.00.
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JERSEY STATE HANGMAN PROUD OF PROFESSION

Van Hise, Friends of Timid Sheriffs and Terror to Criminals, Has No Sympathy for Persons Whose Lives He Takes.

WOMEN SAME AS MEN
UNDER ROPE'S NOOSE

They Are All Criminals Who Need Hanging, When the Law Sends Them to the Scaffold Is His Viewpoint.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
NEWARK, N. J., June 28.—Should anyone through mere chance visit New Jersey and while in that State commit murder, for which he received the sentence of death in the courts, the next incident would be meeting with Van Hise. Everyone who receives the death sentence in New Jersey meets Van Hise and death simultaneously.

James Van Hise usually secures the contract to legally take lives of condemned persons in the name of the law and the sovereign State of New Jersey. He is the friend of timid sheriffs and he reaps a harvest of legal deaths, feeling meanwhile no pity for his victims and working with this philosophic pique as his motto:

"Feel pity for the people I hang?" he asked. "Not I. They took a life or lives and I take theirs. So that's all there is to it. I never feel for them at all."

When not acting in the capacity of an executioner Van Hise plies his trade as a carpenter in this city. He was to have hanged Anna Valentine, the Italian woman convicted of murdering her rival, Rose Salas, on May 12, but the Italian Government took an interest in her case and gained a reprieve. It is now before the Supreme Court and the woman will not hang until fall, in any event.

Van Hise has been waiting to hang the woman since last June, and he has been obliged to postpone what he calls the "job" so many times that he has no patience with lawyers, sympathetic citizens, Judges who consider reasonable doubts or Governors who grant reprieves. Van Hise thinks such persons only evade the law and cost the State

"It's all nonsense, this trying again time to save the lives of other people," said Van Hise today. "He has amputated shavings in his shop and discussed his queer calling of刽子 with executioners to a State. "I have no sympathy for murderers. When 12 men have heard the evidence and judged a person guilty sentence should be carried out."

Van Hise is 71 years of age. He is bold and vigorous and has never been sick, because, as he says, he has "never worried about nothing." His small blue eyes are keen and humorous, and his nose and stern chin show character of a kind essential in the gruesome work that he performs whenever Jersey Justice puts any of its citizens out of the world.

Like Dr. Guillotin Van Hise makes his own instrument of death and he carries it with him to the place of execution. Like the Sansons, under whose hands most of the illustrious heads fell during the French Revolution, including that of Marie Antoinette, he belongs to a family of executioners, his father having assisted Van Hise's grandfather at the latter's first hanging. The present hangman is now being assisted by his son, and both of them take great pride in their work.

"I have hanged 75 men and two women," he said, with a laugh, "and it's a business that's got to be well done. Some sheriffs won't do it, but most of them could do it. They wouldn't snap the spinal cord, as do."

"I have entire control of the prisoner from the time I enter the jail. I pull the rope that breaks his neck. The body flies into the air six feet and then falls, but feeling leaves the body the instant the rope tightens around the neck."

Now, that's the way to hang a person, I think. To have a man hanged long ago as a matter of economy to himself, but the man went up in the air, the rope snapped and he had to be hauled back to his cell and hanged the next day."

Van Hise gets \$25 for each person who hangs. The bonds of friendship between the county from where the murderer was convicted pay this sum for the murderer's taking off.

The face of the State's executioner, forbidding in resemblance, broke into a broad smile of amusement.

"What?" he laughed. "She is a murderer and she deserves to be hanged as much as any man or woman that ever lived. She would be killing each other every day. No, I don't think any more of hanging a man or woman than I do of hanging a woman."

I used to go to New York to hang people before the electric chair was invented. The last hanging I did in the States was my work, and was better than the work of any executioner I ever saw. I took down his calendar and checked off the dates as he talked. He didn't want to be hanged in his status, so I continually led him in this question, "Do you make many friends traveling around with your machine?" "Yes, sir, I do. I know now, too, that some of them are to my business. My wife can't stand it."

He hasn't even felt sorry about the people he hangs, for he doesn't make any say that.

They always have a priest or a dominie who comes to get the condemned with religion that they don't care about anything else."

"Have you ever served on a jury?" "No, sir, I haven't had it."

"Why they wouldn't have me on a jury. Everyone knows that I favor capital punishment. I voted for one, anyway, because if I voted to condemn the prisoner they would think that I was—that I was looking for the sake of the public."

The Sansons called the guillotine "the Maiden," "the Widow" and "the Virgin," and the public executioner in France has also been called "Monsieur de la Guillotine."

Van Hise says there would be no sense in having him Monsieur de Justice, as he would go anywhere and to any State if they paid him the money.

He has seen the most horrible manner of putting a person to death, and quotes the olden times when criminals were drawn and quartered, cut to pieces, skinned alive, and choked or flayed. He objects to the electric chair on several grounds—one being that it is a torture.

Besides, Grand Jurymen are avowedly Ernest Walker, who will be in charge of the entertainment, will recite.

says Van Hise. Then the body is freed from the chair, lastly, the electric chair has interfered with the Van Hise's trade of hanging persons."

Watch our windows for reduced prices on spring and summer shoes for man, woman or child. G. H. Boehmer Shoe Co., 410 Broadway.

Ordained Priests.

Two classes of young men were ordained to the priesthood Wednesday morning at St. Xavier's Church. Grand Avenue and Linden Boulevard. Five candidates were from the Benedictine Monastery at De Soto and 21 were of the Jesuit Order. The latter celebrated Mass at St. Xavier's Thursday morning. They will stay another year at St. Louis University before being given regular assignments.

Woman's Missionary Concert.

A concert for the benefit of the Woman's Home Missionary Society of the Marvin Memorial M. E. Church will be given Thursday night at the Y. M. C. A.

Bishop Grand, Mrs. John Morrissey, Van Hise, and others will speak.

The Neptune will never have been further south than Honduras, and has been used in the coast coal towing trade out of the city of Northern ports. She is a modern steel hull 115 feet long, 23 feet beam, and 12 feet 6 inches depth of hold and was built by the R. M. Speiden Shipbuilding Co. March, 1904.

The United States Government, seeing the necessity for a powerful modern tug for the hospital service in San

LONG OCEAN TRIP FOR HOSPITAL TUG

U. S. Marine Hospital Boat
Neptune on Voyage From
Baltimore to Frisco.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

BALTIMORE, June 29.—The tug Neptune, which was recently sold to the United States Marine Hospital Service at San Francisco, Cal., has gone from this port on the longest trip ever undertaken by a Baltimore tug.

Capt. W. McLeod will be in command of the tug on her long voyage of 15,000

miles down the Atlantic Coast, through the Straits of Magellan and up the Pacific to her destination. She will carry 100 tons of coal, which will run her 30 days, and there will be 40 tons of fresh water in her tanks. Her first coaling port will be St. Lucia, then Pernambuco, Montevideo, Punta Arenas, Coronal, Callao and Acapulco. On arriving at San Francisco she will be turned over to the receiving officer of the hospital service, who will represent the Government.

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The United States Government, seeing the necessity for a powerful modern tug for the hospital service in San

Francisco harbor, detailed Capt. John Moore, Lieut. Camden and Chief Engineer Spear of the revenue cutter service of this city, to inspect the tug and report to the Government office at Washington, D. C. The inspection was favorable to the purchase of the tug, and the American Towing Co. is to determine the tug in San Francisco for the consideration of \$75,000.

Accompanying Capt. McLeod on the long voyage are Mr. Henry Graz, first officer; William Beck, chief engineer; Herbert Long, first assistant engineer; and Fred Ritter, second assistant engineer.

Capt. McLeod, Mr. William Beck and Capt. Herbert Long will remain in San Francisco after the delivery of the tug. The officers of the officers and crew will remain.

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RETIREES AS RELIEF TO THE PRESIDENT

Justice Morris Doesn't Want
Roosevelt Embarrassed by
"Butt-in" Methods.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, June 29.—Justice

Martin F. Morris' whose retirement by resignation from the bench of the District Court of Appeals will take place next Saturday, is not permitting his friends to gather any strong impressions in regard to the motives which impelled him to that action.

He wishes them to know that he

reached that determination out of consideration for the President in the delicate position in which the latter was placed by Ex-Senator Louis E. McComas, of Maryland, who has now been named to succeed Justice Morris.

In referring to the awkward position in which Mr. McComas had placed the President, Justice Morris said:

"The over anxiety of Ex-Senator McComas to get the appointment constituted the only annoyance in the situation. In my letter to the President he did not announce that I would retire on a certain date, but that it was my intention to retire probably within a year. He emphatically told me that he did not want me to be unbecoming conduct of Ex-Senator McComas to hasten the consummation of his appointment, and I did not tell the President in an embarrassing position."

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SEMI-ANNUAL CLEARING SALE

The Most Colossal Sale in This Store's History Goes On Tomorrow at 8 A. M.

1c A YARD FOR 10c LAWNS!



One with each
10c You Spend

28c for 1-3c and 10c
Lawn and Batistes. 42c for 12½c white dot
Lawn and Swiss. 9c for 20c Table Oilcloth
3c for 10c white checked
3c for 15c white Voile
3c for 10c lace and
3c for 10c fine Dress
4c for 10c lace Muslin—
3c for 1-3c Bleached
Muslin—yard wide. 26c
Napkins.

**15c each for Lace
Curtains.**

**2c for 7½c and 10c Tor-
chon and Val Laces.**

25c pair for 1.00 Lace
Curtains, 3 yds. long.

4c for 12½c and 15c
Laces and Embroid-
eries.

50c pair for 2.00 Lace
Curtains, 3 yds. long.

7c for 18c and 20c Laces
and Embroideries.

1.00 pair for 3.00 and
4.00 Lace Curtains,
3½ yards long.

10c for 22c and 25c Laces
and Embroideries.

1.50 pair for 5.00 and
6.00 Lace Curtains,
3½ yards long.

19c for 40c and 50c Laces
and Embroideries.

1.90 for 6.00 Polos!

All handmade on wire
frame, of finest silk, straw
or hair braids combined
with maline or lace, artis-
tically finished with fine
flowers or wings, velvet
bows and beautiful jet ornaments;
black, white and colors;
every one silk lined—positively
80 and \$6 values for

1.90

**4.69 for Men's 10.00 Blue
Serge Suits.**

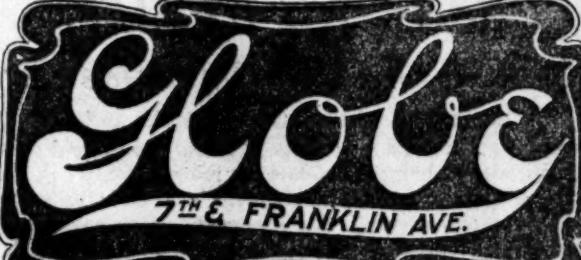
They're all-wool and guaranteed not to
fade. Made and trimmed as good as
the best. Actual \$10 suits.
Why shouldn't you take
them?.....

4.69

1.50 for \$3 Worsted Pants

Don't believe it, do you? Don't blame
you. But they're here and they're nice
worsteds, too, and fine
patterns. Nice as
any man
wants.....

1.50



5.95 for Ladies' \$12 Silk Suits

**1.85 for Ladies' 3.50 White Linon Dress Skirts, knee
pleated flounce.**

**1.85 for Ladies' 3.50 White Linon Coats, box
backs.**

**2.95 for Ladies' 5.00 Dolly Varden Dresses, beau-
tiful sheer organdies, handsomely trimmed.**

**3.00 for Ladies' 5.00 Broadcloth Brilliantine and
Panama Cloth Dress Skirts.**

**5.95 for Ladies' 12.00 Taffeta and Jap Silk
Shirt-Waist Suits, handsomely Shirred
and Trimmed.**

**4.95 for Ladies' 12.00 Peau de Soie, Taffeta
and Net Skirts, all handsomely trimmed
and embroidered.**

15c for Ladies' 50c Lawn Kimonos.

25c for Ladies' 75c Percale Wrappers.

25c for Ladies' 75c Polka Dot Lawn Waists.

49c for Ladies' 1.00 Gingham Underskirts.

75c for Girls' 1.25 Gingham School Dresses.

**49c for Ladies' 1.00 Silk Stripe Dimity
Waists.**

**98c for Ladies' 2.00 Shirt Waists, all
beautifully trimmed with lace and
embroidery.**

**1.25 for Ladies' 3.00 China Silk and Lawn
Waists, handsomely tucked and
trimmed.**

**21c for Small Odd Lots
Stocks, Turn-overs, etc.**

**10c for washable Stocks
and Chemisettes, ev-
ery kind you can think of.
All 25c to 50c goods.**

**3c per yard for all silk taf-
feta Ribbons, 2 inches
wide.**

**7c per yard for all silk taf-
feta Ribbons, 4 inches
wide.**

5c for Boys' 25c Knee PANTS

14c for Boys' 50c Wash Suits

29c for Boys' 75c Wash Suits

1.25 for Boys' 2.50 Wool Suits

10c for Boys' 45c Waists

35c for Boys' 75c and 1.00 Waists

14c for Boys' 50c Wash S

DELMAR GAMBLERS MAKE HANDBOOKS

Layers of Odds Accept Wagers,
but Only From Persons
They Know.

NO BETS LESS THAN \$5

County Officers Watch Game,
but Say They See No Ex-
cuse for Making Arrests.

Half a dozen bookmakers are still de-
taining the law by taking bets at the Del-
mar racetrack, although they are not
so open in their action as they were
before the threat of the Governor to
send troops and the ensuing arrest by
Sheriff Herpel of Charlie Cella Monday.

The bookmakers are really employing
a handbook system, and their accept-
ance of bets is limited to persons whom
they know or in whom they have con-
fidence. They mark the odds they offer
on their programs, which they display
to those who ask. Most of them take
nothing less than \$5 bets, of which
they make 20 per cent with the
number of the bettors, badge, the
program number of the horse, and the
amount of the wager.

The bookmakers are the same as
those who, after the expiration of the
Breeders' law, tried to operate with a
small hand slate, a sheet writer and a
calculator. Charlie Cella is the leader;
with him are George Erlich, arrested
three times; "Billy" Lerman, Frank
Shannon, John Flynn and Max Gun-
pert.

The county officers visit the betting
ring each day and see the wagers made
on each race; but so far they have found
nothing which would warrant them in making arrests.

Watch our windows for reduced prices on
spring and summer shoes for men, woman and
child. G. M. Boehmer Shoe Co., 410 Bay.

"DON'T TAKE THAT CLOCK!" --FIST FLEW

Repairer and Elevator Starter's
Scuffle Brings Report of
Accident in Chemical Building.

The well-meant effort of an "assistant
elevator starter" in the Chemical Build-
ing to prevent what he thought might
be the robbery of a tenant resulted
Thursday in a violent quarrel, a fight,
the smashing of a big brass clock, the
gathering of an enormous crowd, the
circulation of reports that an elevator
had dropped 15 floors with 40 people in
it, and apologies all around.

George J. Richards, a clock repairer of
325 California avenue, was the center
of the storm. He went to the office of
E. B. Tamm, the 10th and got a 10-
pound brass clock with an 18-inch dial
to take it to his shop and repair it. At
the ground floor Assistant Starter
Staver stopped him and demanded a
permit showing his right to take the
clock from the building.

Richards protested, saying he
was not allowed to go on
there was a scuffle and a fight, and on
the face of the big brass clock was
smashed against the wall. Then
came the crowd and the rumors of
an appalling accident.

Police were summoned up, learned
what the trouble was and hustled the
men and the clock into the building.
Then everybody except Richards
began to leave, leaving him alone.
Angry he was beyond speech as he
walked off victorious with the clock.

ECONOMIC BUYERS

Are interested in the FRIDAY
POST-DISPATCH "Ready-to-Wear"
announcements of the leading dry
goods stores.

Had the Craze.

From Judge.
Beulah: I suppose you go to church
on Sunday when you don't play golf?
Alma: My dear, when the weather is
too bad to play golf it isn't fit to ven-
ture out at all.

If the stomach affects the af-
fect is soon noticed in the
kidneys. It is therefore
very important to
keep the stomach
strong and healthy. The
Dietitian can do this without fail
and can also help to
cure Nausea, Cramps,
Indigestion, etc. Female
Disorders, or Maternal
Fever.

No More Gray Hairs

DeLacy's French Hair Tonic is not
therefore perfectly harm-
less. It re-
moves Gray
Hair in any
color of hair,
musciano or
whatever will
turn the color it
was before it
turned gray.
It is im-
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gray hairs
are dandruff permanent. Each
application is not sticky or greasy and
will not stain or injury. Your Money
Back if it fails. \$1 by druggists,
pharmacies, and the United
States, foreign, regular
Drugs.

DeLacy L. L. COMPANY
602 Cook St. St. Louis, Mo.

BORE TUNNELS UNDER RIVER, ADVERTISE AND GET MILLION PEOPLE

In Population Increase Contest Suggestions Given in
Letters of Ideas to Build the City Up to
Desired Numerical Strength.

You'll have to hurry if you wish to win the Post-Dispatch prize of \$500 for the best suggestion as to how to make St. Louis a city of a million people in the shortest time.

The location of the tunnel is admitted to be in the city of St. Louis in this country.

Our trade is very satisfactory to us here, and manufacturers, the transportation facilities of this city, by rail, are second to none.

Now comes the million to St. Louis. Should each person supported by the beer, tobacco and shoe manufacturing industries of the Mount City and a dozen more have been dwelt on by the correspondents of the Million Club, which will judge the merits of the thousands of suggestions which have been sent to the Editor of the Million Prize Contest.

Cheaper rents, more factories, the abolition of the bridge arbitrary, deep water to the gulf, advertising the merits of the Mount City and a dozen more themes have been dwelt on by the correspondents of the Million Club, which will judge the merits of the thousands of suggestions which have been sent to the Editor of the Million Prize Contest.

There is a chance for a vacation trip with all expenses paid, free. All there is to do is to make a suggestion which will meet the approval of a committee of the Million Club, which will judge the merits of the thousands of suggestions which have been sent to the Editor of the Million Prize Contest.

Fifty thousand persons who have found themselves advertising cotton goods are now supported by two thousand people in St. Louis. And so it runs all along down the line of products sold in this city. Specifically submitted.

GEORGE R. KENAMORE, 4209 Cook avenue.

Advertisement.

Editor Million Population Contest.

IRVONDALE, Mo., June 27.—How can St. Louis reach the million population? Go back four years and see St. Louis then and note each move that has been made up to the present time. Note the increase in business and population every year. That looks about the right size of all this. You will find it was nothing more than advertising.

The World's Fair did more for St. Louis in the way of increasing business and population than does any other one thing.

While the World's Exhibition was in progress, the business of the Million Club was organized with the proper order in view.

Then, if the business men will but use the slogan, "Build up St. Louis," and advertise it to the public, it will be a matter of a very few years for St. Louis to reach the million mark.

MAHON M. HUGHES.

Triumph of Spirit.

Editor Million Population Contest.

It is a grave mistake to say that the question of population is one of any single commercial achievement or enterprise.

There are conditions—political, commercial and individual—which have tremendous influences toward multiplying of population and wealth, yet the one grand, human triumph which we must measure is the vast wealth of population—the triumph of spiritual and individual spirit—which inspires the soul with hope and faith, and the all-powerful sense of duty. And when the individual spirit of its own prodigious might lifts up its weaker efforts in others and causes them, too, to rise to heights of success, then the results of individual and concerted efforts may be vindicated with a satisfaction that can come from no other source. We are told that in its creation no stone has been left unturned and no weary sentiment left unloved by that mighty nucleus of spirit—

T. W. LUKE.

373 Thirty-sixth place, Chicago.

More Manufacturers.

Editor Million Population Contest.

History tells of no city that ever grew to a million population except through certain

IN SOCIETY

Notices of social events intended for publication in the Saturday Post-Dispatch should reach the Post-Dispatch office not later than noon of the Friday preceding.

London cablegrams containing accounts of the large wedding of Miss Amy Chipps, daughter of Henry Chipps of Highgate, England, in the First Life Guards, Wednesday in the First Life Guards. Wednesday has especial interest for St. Louis soldiers, as the bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Catin of El Vandeventer place, was one of the bridegroom's witnesses.

The marriage ceremony was performed at St. George's, Hanover Square, by Archdeacon Shiel.

The bridegroom's parents were Hon. Gwendoline Ponsonby, Lady Mary Bowes-Lyon, Miss Jean Reid, daughter of the Rev. John Reid, of New Baltimore, Mich., with whom the wedding ceremony today was performed in the same church, by the same minister, at the same time as the same friends present as witnesses.

When Mrs. Stanton sought the divorce Stanson continued to provide for her and she opened a store of her own, but soon gave it up.

Stanton's father continued to consider her as his daughter, and remembered her as well as his deceased son.

A Skin of Beauty is a Joy Forever.

R. T. Feil Gouraud's Oriental Cream or Magical Beautifier

For Tan, Pimples, Freckles, Rash and Skin Diseases, inferior to no cream in beauty, and defies defacement.

It has stood the test of years, and is so harmless that it is safe to use.

It is sure to be sure it is properly prepared, no counterfeiting of skins.

It is the best cream for skin.

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MAD COW CREATES HAVOC IN CHICAGO

Animal on a Rampage Runs Strenuous Course Through Northside Suburb.

IS SAVED FROM SUICIDE

Policeman Plays Crack the Whip With Enraged Brute.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CHICAGO, June 29.—After causing two runaways, wrecking a carriage, upsetting two bicyclists and stampeding a crowd of workmen, a cow belonging to John Schwall of Gross Point was shot on the lake shore at Wilmette yesterday morning. The cow was suffering from the rabies, having been bitten by a mad dog last week.

Schwall went out to milk in the morning. The cow failed to recognize him as an old friend. It turned on him, driving him from the yard and pursuing him down the street. He leaped over a hedge and the animal continued on its way to Wilmette to the north.

At the outskirts of the village two carriages were upset, driven by Fred Selkirk, a Glencoo farmer. The cow charged Selkirk's team, inflicting one of the horses and causing them to run away. The carriage ahead was struck by the tongue of Selkirk's vehicle, and this team also broke from the driver's control.

Bicyclists Are Encountered.

The next adventure was an encounter with a Chicago boy. Once the workmen were thrown to the ground. The madened animal drew off to charge on him when his comrade seized a rail from a nearby fence and drove it into the cow.

The two men together beat their assailant off, and it resulted in a reckless way through Forest avenue. At a corner near the lake shore the crowd of workmen who lay about the foundation of an apartment house. The workmen scattered, but not before the marauder had been doused with several buckets of mud.

The street sloped down to the lake, 100 yards away. The gleaming waters caught the eye of the animal, which turned to and its troubles in the sea, or else following the desire which the rabies brings for water it charged down the incline and galloped to the edge of the cliff overlooking the lake.

Policeman Fred McGuire now was in pursuit of the cow, and determined to drive her into the water, where the outstretched tail. They were at the edge of the cliff.

By a strong heave to the windward he vaulted the cow out of its course.

Several tacks were made, and then an animated game of "crack the whip" ensued through the village. A number of residents of the village had been brought to the shore to search for the animal.

They shouted encouragement to McGuire, who clung desperately to the tail. When the police officer was nearly exhausted and ready to abandon the cow to its merriment on destruction, Schwall, the owner, arrived.

He came with the gun. One lassoed the cow and it was overpowered and securely tied. Schwall then shot the animal.

For fine pastry and bakery goods go to Weyl's, 49 N. Sixth street.

St. Lawrence's Commencement.

The closing exercises held yesterday at the Lawrence Town Hall were attended by a large number of parents and friends of the graduates.

Father Brennan, the pastor, addressed the students and their parents following receiving diplomas for having completed the eighth grade; James Hartigan, principal; Mrs. Sheehan, home room teacher; Mrs. Miller, Teresa Hayes, May Halligan, Christine Egan, Alice Miles, Estelle Cash, The Aquinas and Cluny students.

McGivern, the principal, addressed the students and their parents following receiving diplomas for having completed the eighth grade; James Hartigan, principal; Mrs. Sheehan, May Halligan, Teresa Hayes, Ann O'Connell and Katie Rose received certificates of promotion.

Eat at Weyl's, 49 North Sixth Street. Frozen puddings every day, 10c.

HEALTHY KIDNEYS IN OLD AGE

Maintained by the Use of WARNER'S SAFE CURE

Unless Your Kidneys Are Healthy Your Entire System Becomes Diseased.

The following testimonial from an aged lady, near the century mark, shows the wonderful curative powers of SAFE CURE.

I NEVER HAVE A PAIN.

"Gentlemen: I had a great deal of backache and sickness, and did not know that it was caused by the diseased condition of my kidneys and liver. As soon as my doctor found I had kidney trouble, he prescribed WARMER'S SAFE CURE, and a few bottles completely cured me, and I feel like a woman 20 years younger. My kidneys, liver and bladder are in healthy condition since I took WARMER'S SAFE CURE. I have never had a pain in my back. I am 92 years old, and enjoy the very best of health."

Rebecca Smith, Westfield, N. J.

Kidney disease is neglected, quickly spreads, and causes serious complications, such as Bright's Disease, Gravel, Diabetes, Rheumatism, Rheumatic Gout, Indigestion, Ulcers, Liver and Bladder troubles.

TEST YOUR KIDNEYS.

Let some morning urine stand 24 hours. If it contains foam, your kidneys are affected and unable to perform their work, and no time need be lost in getting medical advice. WARMER'S SAFE CURE, and a few bottles completely cured me, and I feel like a woman 20 years younger. My kidneys, liver and bladder are in healthy condition since I took WARMER'S SAFE CURE."

WARMER'S SAFE CURE is a very valuable, contains no harmful drugs, is free and safe. It is the only perfect cure for the leading diseases of the kidneys, liver, bladder and blood.

Sold by all drug stores, two sizes, 50 cents and \$1 a bottle.

ANALYSIS FREE.

If after making this test you have any doubt as to the development of the disease in your kidneys, send your urine to the Medical Department, WARMER'S SAFE CURE Co., Rochester, N. Y., and our doctors will make an analysis, and report, with advice and medicine, basket free.

Refuse Substitutes and Imitations.

They are worthless and very often exceedingly dangerous. Ask for WARMER'S SAFE CURE; it will cure you.

WARMER'S SAFE CURE cures the bowel and aids a speedy cure.

GROWS TREE FOR MAKING COFFIN

Ember Mason, Jackson County, Mo., Man, Watches Walnut for Half a Century.

HAS IT SAWED IN BOARDS

When They Are Seasoned Will Have Casket Made—He Is 88.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., June 29.—In the barn loft of Ember Mason, an aged farmer living a mile northeast of Lees, are several fine walnut boards in the rough. Mr. Mason is seasoning these carefully to be used in making his coffin. About half a century ago, while clearing some ground on his farm, he found a young walnut tree that was remarkably straight and beautiful. He decided to let it remain and grow for this express purpose, and during the greater part of his long life it has been an object of tender solicitude.

During the sunshine and the storms of more than half a century that tree grew in the center of a meadow from which all the other trees had been cleared. Fearing, however, that it might be struck by lightning and destroyed, and as it was already growing near the fence and deadwood for which it intended, Mr. Mason about a year ago had it cut down and saved up into lumber. The "butt cut," from which he took the lumber for his coffin, squared 14 inches.

"I think I'll take it to town and have it made up 'fore long," remarked Mr. Mason the other day. "I'm givin' out what I can eat or later and I don't have any time now." He has become very deaf of hearing and during the past two months his sight has failed rapidly.

For many years he has been a citizen of the four years of the Civil War. Mr. Mason has lived in his present home; a small house near the center of the neighborhood since 1822. He was born in Tennessee and is now about 88 years old. He is a "Hickory Jackson" Democrat, and a member of the church in Civil War. He still stoutly protests: "They didn't lick us" (with emphasis on the "us") "We just ou-selves out 'killing them."

In spite of the fact that he has made such careful preparations for his burial, Mr. Mason is not a religious man, though he says he "leans towards the Baptists." They are a ways would take a drink somethin' to drink when they felt like it."

The Mason home, a quaint, old-story structure, stands on a hill overlooking the valley of Blue River from the east. Much of Southeastern Kansas City is visible from the roof.

Mr. Mason's son is a half mile between Kansas City and Independence.

He goes to the latter place once in a while, but he never goes to Kansas City, which is 10 miles away. "To ride bicycles and go-devils whizin' round on the streets." He tells with considerable gusto of the time when the men of his neighborhood would make up a pony purse of 25 cents, buy a gallon of whisky, and go "goonin'" in the "possumly" and "beebreezey" in the densely timbered region now known as the Blue Hills. And their feast upon a possum, the "fif' fo' a cent."

During the 72 years that he has been living in the Blue Hills Kansas has seen him go up out of nothing right under his nose.

"I went to school three days, an' got out of school without any money."

That was all the schoolin' I ever had. Don't you think I deserve a good deal of credit for holdin' my own as well as I have?"

He owns the 30 acres on which he lives. In front of the house runs one of the oldest paved roads in the country. It was first an Indian trail, and later the Mormons opened it up as a road to the city of Salt Lake City.

Ember Mason has given up work in the fields; but he has several hives of bees that require close watching at this time. He takes care of them, under a little shed. There is excitement enough when a swarm comes off; but before swarms time hangs heavy upon him.

He habitually carries in his hand a peculiar-looking device that not one person in the world can identify its purpose. It is a flykiller of his own design. It consists of a broad round leather flap tied at one end of a little leather string. Such a device is of any fly that has the temerity to alight within reach of the old man's weapon.

Mr. Mason is a well-known young class—the old-time Missourians of Southern origin—retaining all the strong and emotional prejudice of people of that earlier generation ago. He visits to his home takes one back at least half a century.

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FIND GIRL IN CAGE WITH ANGRY LIONS

Parents Cause Rescue of 16 Year-Old Girl From Dangerous Situation.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, June 29.—Faint with fear, a father and mother, learning of the danger in which their 16-year-old daughter had placed herself, rushed into Stockton's animal show, at Coney Island, yesterday afternoon, to find the girl defending herself with a light whip from four large lions, among which she had been bitten.

Mr. Farnsworth, with a shriek, dropped into a chair. Her shriek broke the spell. Even the lions relaxed their grip.

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CONDUCTOR SHOT BY PASSENGER

Purcell Ejects Man Who Threw Fare and Receives Bullet in Stomach.

ASSAILANT IS DEFENDED

Fellow Workmen Attempt to Prevent Arrest, but Are Held at Bay.

Conductor George Purcell of the Granite City, Madison and Venetian street railway, was shot through the abdomen by James McDermott, a passenger, at 3 p.m., Wednesday.

McDermott boarded the car at Madison, and when the conductor demanded the fare tossed the money out on the platform. The conductor insisted on McDermott handing him the fare, but the passenger replied, "There's your money; if you want it go and get it." Purcell ejected McDermott from the car, and as the conductor started to board the car McDermott drew a revolver and shot him.

The passengers, many of whom were women, were panic-stricken. When McDermott attempted to follow up the attack the conductor crouched down between the seats and Motorman Richard Burns ran the car to the city jail at Venice, where Marshall Bennett was found. The car returned as rapidly as possible to Madison, and on the way was reinforced by 10 street railway employes.

McDermott was captured at White's saloon in Madison. He is an employee of the Helmacher Rolling Mill. He was surrounded by 15 of his fellow laborers, who attempted to prevent the marshal from arresting him. The car men and passengers on one side and mill employees on the other arrayed themselves for a general fight and for a few moments a riot was expected.

Marshal Bennett drew his revolver and held it on the opposing men as he passed away with his prisoner. He placed McDermott in the buggy while the car men prevented the prisoner's friends from coming near. The marshal took McDermott to the Venice jail. He will have a hearing Thursday afternoon. The wounded conductor is in a serious condition.

PRUDENT HOUSEKEEPERS

Will read the "Ready-to-Wear" bargains in Friday's POST-DISPATCH.

Painter Fell From Ladder.

Bernard B. Fury, aged 56, a painter, fell from a stepladder at 1423 North Twenty-second street Thursday noon and broke several bones in his right foot. He was taken to City Hospital.

GET READY FOR THE 4TH

By Buying Your Outing Shoes at

HILTS' GREAT FLAG SALE

FREE! Beautiful Silk Flag with every purchase.



98c

LADIES' WHITE SHOES, 98c.

Hand-sewn. Cool and comfortable, cut from fine canvas and linens; wide laces; latest heel and toes. Better grades from \$1.19 up.

39c

TENNIS OR OUTING SHOES, 39c.

Just the thing for knocking about in best canvas in red, black or chequered. Also men's sizes, at 98c up.

69c

BAREFOOT SANDALS, like Col.

Sizes 8-12. 69c

Greatest health promoters ever produced. Cut from best grade Russian calf, strong and durable; sizes 8-12 to 2. 78c

700 AT EUCHRE PARTY.

East St. Louisans Compete for Piano on St. Patrick's Lawn.

The largest euchre party ever given in East St. Louis was held on the lawn of St. Patrick's church yesterday evening. Several hundred persons were present. Among the prizes were a piano, a gas range, a suit of clothes and an automobile.

A number of St. Louisans were present. Mrs. Ella Oebike, president; Miss Barbara Hickey, secretary, were the officers of the organization that conducted the euchre. Maurice J. Hickery directed the games.

The funds collected will be used in paying a portion of the church debt.

St. Louis has more Post-Dispatch readers every day than it has homes.

"First in everything."



\$1.59 AND \$2.19

Men's Outing Shoes, \$1.59 and \$2.19.

Test your feet on the fourth by easing them in a pair of nobly made shoes or socks. They are low cut, narrow or wide lace-up.

Welted soles.

C. E. HILTS SHOE CO., Sixth and Franklin Av.

ARGYLE DUCHESS SEARCHING FOR ARMADA'S GOLD

Friend of James G. Blaine Passes Wife in Will to Favor Others.

HOUSEKEEPER EXECUTOR

Sister of King Edward Prepares to Photograph Bottom of Loch Duan for Wreck of Spanish Treasure Ship.

AMERICANS MAY HAVE SECURED THE TROVE

Philadelphians Once Made an Effort to Locate the Lost Ship Admiral of Florence and Its Chests of Dubloons.

GLASGOW, June 29.—Undeterred by past failures and evidently disbelieving the story that two "cute" Americans have robbed them of their treasure trove, the Duke and Duchess of Argyle are once more hunting for the chests of gold that went down with the Spanish galleon in the waters of Loch Duan in 1588.

The brother-in-law and sister of the King (the Duchess of Argyle was Princess Louise, Queen Victoria's eldest) have commissioned Capt. John Burns, the man who was much younger. The former acted as housekeeper. He had lived a varied life. After a time in the ministry he became first President of the old South Side Railroad Co., which was later absorbed by the Long Island Railroad Co. He became prominent as a lawyer. In suits before the United States Government James G. Blaine was his associate and helped him to victory.

Housekeeper as Executor.

Application for the probate of the will was made by Miss Garfield, who was named as one of the trustees and executors. The will bears date of Dec. 22, 1903, and was witnessed by Robert E. Phillips, Ida Phipps and Gladys W. Phipps, all of Richmond Hill. The executors named are the Morton Trust Co. of Manhattan, Samuel G. Gardiner, Helen C. Garfield and May Bradson, the last of whom is a niece. It appoints the executors as successors in trust of the estate in case of the death of the testator's wife.

In the sixth clause of the will, after making other dispositions, the testator directs that the widow be given a sum of \$10,000.

In the ninth clause the testator directs that the widow shall receive \$10,000.

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RETURNING MEMORY BROUGHT \$5 FINE

New York Judge Permits Juror to Receive Reports From "Change"

MAKES GOOD ON MARKETS

Speculator Turns Nice Profit on Information Received While on Duty.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, June 28.—Judge Warren W. Foster's courtroom has been turned into a branch office of the Cotton Exchange while Emma Nash, a negro girl on trial charged with having killed her companion, husband, Josiah White, by stabbing him.

Bartons S. Castles had been chosen as the sixth juror at the woman's trial. The trial was under way when Mr. Castles, who is a member of the Cotton Exchange and a very speculator, asked to see Judge Foster.

"Judge," said Mr. Castles, "I have a request to make and I hope your honor will grant it. I am heavily interested in the market and would like to receive the market quotations while I am in court."

"As," said Judge Foster, "that would interfere with the trial, you would not be able to devote all your attention to the market."

"On the contrary," replied Mr. Castles.

"How?" said he meditatively.

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"Come back here and get your horse," cried the policeman.

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So all day long messenger boys rushed in and out of court carrying telegrams to the market.

At the end of the day's trial Mr. Castles was seen by a reporter.

"Did you make out well today?" asked the reporter.

"Thank you," said Mr. Castles, "I did. I made a great deal of money while I was here."

Mr. Castles is from New Orleans. He is a heavy speculator. He hopes the market will stay today, when he will continue to receive the reports while in the jury box.

A Slight Distinction

Miss Sinclair: Who didn't he marry?

"So he said he was a police gentleman," said Miss Sinclair. "Well, I know it's the same thing." "Ah! What was the exact word?" "He said you were a slippery fellow."

Andrew Larson Would Not Take Horse, but He Did Get a Jag.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., June 28.—When the officer first saw Andrew Larson, the latter was sitting in a buggy, sound asleep. The horse was placidly standing beside the curb. The reins were on the ground.

With some difficulty the officer aroused the man. Andrew wanted to know where he was.

"Clinton street and Greenfield avenue," said the officer.

The course to the West Side was explained to Larson at his request.

Later Larson was found asleep in his buggy on the railroad tracks at the foot of Greenfield.

Again he was startled in the right direction. His belligerent brain grasped the fact that the officer had come to him that another drink might clear away the fumes. He left the horse unthighed and went into a saloon. The owner guarded the animal.

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BEAR RUNS AUTO A LA CHAUFFEUR INTO ACCIDENT

Attempt of Bruin to Steal Leg of Mutton Out of Tonneau Starts Wild Runaway Down Mountain Side.

MACHINE PLUNGES OFF PRECIPICE INTO TREE

Motor Explodes, Sets Animal on Fire and He Runs for Stream and Rolls in Water, Putting Out Flames.

BRANDON, Vt., June 28.—Inhabitants of the mountains lying east of this town are on the lookout for a singed bear, which, according to the story of Hank Burridge and Abe Porter, is running loose with a large part of its hair missing. From descriptions furnished by them the animal will look like a huge shepherd dog, clipped from the end of his tail to a point six inches back of the ears. He is likely to prove unpredictable, and berry pickers are warned to look out for him. The damage to date has been \$100, and the animals are displayed from the village to Rochester, a hamlet fourteen miles distant on the other side of Mount Horrible.

The yarn spun by Hank and Abe would be deemed highly improbable were it not silently vouched for by a wrecked automobile, which at present is undergoing extensive repairs in Rochester. As it is the story is a trifling weak in spots, and may go the way of the motor upon strict investigation.

It seems, according to the best information at hand, that late last week a drummer named Stout arrived in Rochester with an automobile. His trip was one of both business and pleasure, and, after he had sold enough shoes to last the entire population a year, he took Sunday off and went fishing. His luck was so good that he said he would continue the sport Monday if he could get some one to take his car to Brandon and return with a sample case of shoes. Hank, who sometimes runs a sawmill, heard of the drummer's visit, and when the drumming stopped offered services for the sum of \$5.

Stout was a bit uncertain of the machine's ability to handle the machine, but he did want to spend a second day on the stream, and so after he had explained a few things to the drummer he turned over the car to him. He was rather above normal size, and although she walks as a biped, her back is ached slightly. Mr. Carter, the cobbler, says that she will give evidence of phenomenal instinct, and will fly low the spurs of persons near her who appear to treat her poorly and try to imitate the words she hears.

SHOOTS AT WIFE; KIDNAPS CHILD

Kansas City Man Gets Away With Little One After Fight on Eve of Divorce.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., June 29.—Armed with a revolver and accompanied by an armed woman accomplice Earl Burnham, aged 31, succeeded in kidnapping a 15-months-old child after exchanging revolver shots with police during the struggle.

The couple separated two months ago and their pending divorce comes up for trial tomorrow.

ever back into place, he tried another. This time the auto turned completely around and stood shivering and throbbing with its nose pointed down the mountain.

"Do you know, I thought that machine was less ordinarily cussed uncommonly until I heard a loud 'woof, woof,' behind me and glanced over my shoulder. I saw a dog, and when I turned back, I seen it was just plain scared, for right in the middle of the road was the blameworthy animal, with all its eyes on it, was barking and every eye on it was barking and every eye on it was barking. Up the dirt something astonished."

At the point the drummer described a sharp curve and lies fully 50 feet above the meadow, having been blasted out of a rock cut. The car careened over and many a runaway horse has met his fate in attempting to dash around it.

Hank passed the scene of the accident. He made out Abe at work in the field, and, tooling a greeting, he went on. Half an hour later, when almost at the top of the mountain, he heard a roar and the machine stopped. The drummer suddenly stopped. Hank studied several levers at his feet, scratched his head and kicked out under the auto because evidently that he never got over the "shambard," and, knocking the

WANTS TWO-LEGGED CAT BROUGHT BACK

New Yorker Loses Curious Freak in Feline Pet and Offers Reward.

TWO-LEGGED cat, lost from 461 4th av., reward \$5.

NEW YORK, June 28.—If in your wanderings you come across Gyp, call to her by name, lift her up—she's very docile and makes friends easily—and carry her to her owner, James Carter, a saloon keeper of 461 Fourth avenue, and a reward of \$5 will be yours.

Gyp is easily distinguished from the multitude of cats which roam Manhattan, for she is blessed with hind legs only, and these she uses for locomotion much as does the more important animal that sports a straw hat, an outing shirt of conflicting colors, noisy rustles and eloquent trousers. In another respect Gyp resembles man.

She pronounces with an accent peculiarly her own the huckster's negative term "No!" If you attempt to coax Gyp's ears, she will not arch her back and split at you, but will call out in a voice that will seem wonderfully human.

Mr. Carter bought Gyp recently from a patron of his establishment, and, observing her remarkable agility and winning affection, he determined to train her for his own amusement. But others there were who admired her, however, and she did not long remain.

He declares the cat is worth \$100, and says that he will make every effort to find her.

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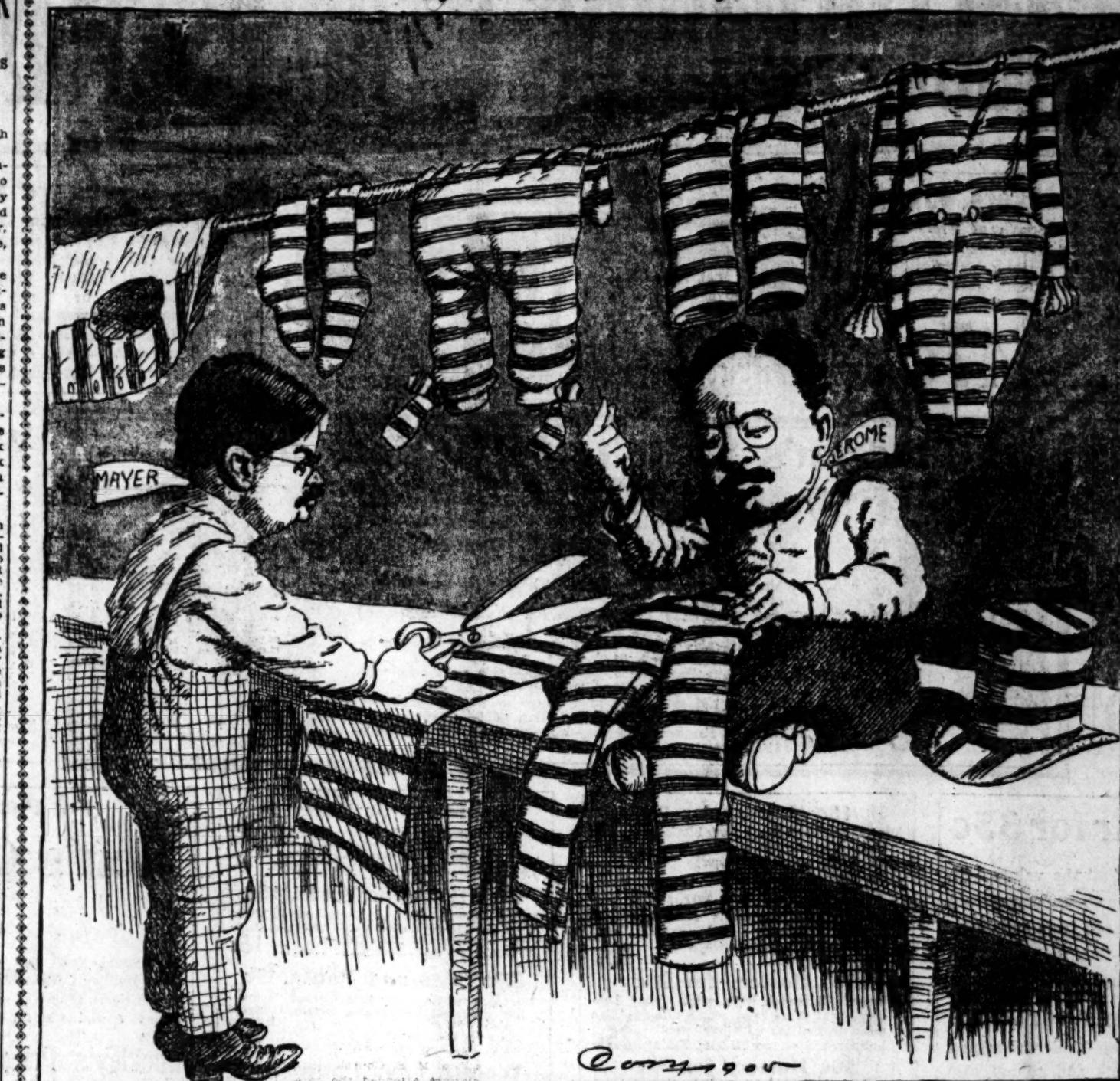
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Are These Equitable Suits?

By J. Campbell Cory.



Insurance loot caused many a suit. And now with nimble wits, Jerome and Mayer at last conspire to make a suit that fits.

KID HUESTON PLAYS TRICK ON SHARPS

Pool Crack Enters Grand Rapids as Farmer and Gets the Money.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., June 29.—"Howdy, friend," Andrew said, "what wants to play just a little pool?"

A stranger appeared in William Howe's billiard hall in Monroe street and addressed the above words to the five persons in the academy.

He was clad in ill-fitting garments, which seemed to have only recently come from the dusty shelves of a village general store. His hat was of a style in vogue several years ago. His shoes were rough and plentifully daubed with tallow. One hand was gloved and the other was bare.

As he spoke he shuffled toward one of the green-clothed tables, awkwardly took a cue from its rack, and still more awkwardly set it up. "I'll just set up a terrible tooth," he said, "but it's all right." He then took the first curve like an old hand. I just got a glimmer of him in the second curve, and of him in the third, and of him in the fourth, and he was a village champion at pool.

"Kinder thought I'd like to play just a little pool," he continued. "Anybody that wants to play just a little pool?"

One of the boys employed at the establishment went up to him.

"Then he wanted to play for a dollar. He lost again. Then he made it a dollar, and one more was defeated by him.

"I'll play anybody in town for \$25 if they'll play 300 to my 15," he finally remarked.

Visions of "easy money" fitted before all those who heard the countryman's words.

A messenger was hurried to the ball park, where "Tod" Hassell, one of the more expert players of Grand Rapids, was spending the afternoon.

"I'll get someone to play downtown," whispered the messenger to Hassell.

"He wants to play 15 to 200. Even the K.O.," he said.

Hassell quit the game and hid himself to Howe's Academy. The "rascal" was still there. Another farmer had come in, and the two were about to begin the first one, when he wore "store clothes" and was unwilling in appearance.

The stranger, although he handled the cue like a beginner, made several good strokes, and his pocket was replaced on the table.

"I ain't very used to this kind of a game," he said, "but I guess I can do it." The farmer began to overhaul him and finally passed him. When the stranger finished his string of 17 balls Hassell

paid him \$100 and the game began.

Then they began to dig out a bag to receive their losses. The "rascal" struck his right hand against "Billy" Smith, the game to be played on Smith's table at the Sharon House. It was on the first stroke, and the man's dimensions that Smith defeated Fred Stewart, champion pool expert of Grand Rapids.

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In the evening the stranger was seen in the streets of Grand Rapids. The news had been spread through town that there would be something easy for "the boys," so Smith money was plen-

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BIG GEORGE, INDIAN TRUSTY AT PRISON

Giant Chippewa Tends Gate at Stillwater Pen and Is Model in Conduct

LIKES TO WRITE LETTERS

Has Studied Since Entering Prison and Is Proud of His Attainments.

STILLWATER, Minn., June 29.—O-Gar-War-Me-Go-Gir, or "Big George," as he is familiarly known, is gurney at the main gates of the State prison yard for several years past, a remarkable Indian, in many respects a good Indian alive. He is an example of the shining kind as to what the State prison might be doing under the superintendence of Davis Steward, City superintendent of Schools.

He now has a fair education in the three R's. He is clean as a marked degree and a very light user of tobacco, taking a chew of tobacco it is said, about once in a week or a fortnight.

He takes his allowance of tobacco, a big, thick plug. What he does not use and some that other prisoners do not use is fed to the fine span of draft horses that haul binder twine and other materials about the prison. The horses are the most handsome, large ones in all the city. They enjoy the tobacco and seem to smile when a big chew is given to each, and swallow it with apparent relish.

"Big George" is a giant 11 sign, or

will be seen by comparison of his size with the Indian who was assigned to him as his assistant gate tender. In the letter he said: "I am not dirty. I am a good man and weighs 230 pounds. When in prison a short time and on a holiday, when the prisoners except those in the third class are given the freedom of the yard to converse and for recreation, he ranged in a row with the Indians, then inmates. His intelligence was noticed when he made the discovery that he, the trusty, was the longest term one, and that the others ranged in height according to the length of their terms."

As an example of his cleanliness it is stated that he made a protest in a letter to one of the state officials against the assignment of a man, one of 20 inmates in St. Paul, who was assigned as his assistant gate tender. In the letter he said: "This man is dirty. He picks his nose and licks his fingers. He is not a good man. Since George has learned to use correct pronouns. He is a man of keen intellect and very little goes on in his head that does not enter his observation and he can tell at the whole distance Main street, some 200 yards, whether a prisoner is going to swear, kick, call out or commit some punishment."

He is conscientious and alert in the performance of his duties. He is very

conscious of a mark passing out of the hand closed on the steel door.

The trusty, a man of 11 sign, is concealed with the Indians in the remaining eye.

He quietly said: "I want to know, old man, if your money is tainted or not."

When the bottle was clear away the trusty of the guard snatched the coin reached forward and swept the coin into his mouth.

"I am a good man," he muttered with a droll wink.

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Children's Sailors

Up to \$1.50 Values for 5c
All sorts of styles, colors and straws—up to \$1.50 values—Friday, at Famous—very special, for... 58c

Women's 75c Corsets, 47c

Medium length ventilated Corsets of French netting—well-boned—four hooks—lace trimmed—sizes 18 to 26—also long, straight front Corsets—deep hip—two-side gores, five hooks—lace trimmed—with or without hose supporters—both are 75c values—Friday, special choice for...

47c

Women's \$3 Oxfords, \$1.79

Secure your Fourth of July footwear Friday at Famous and save \$1.21 on the purchase price—We offer:

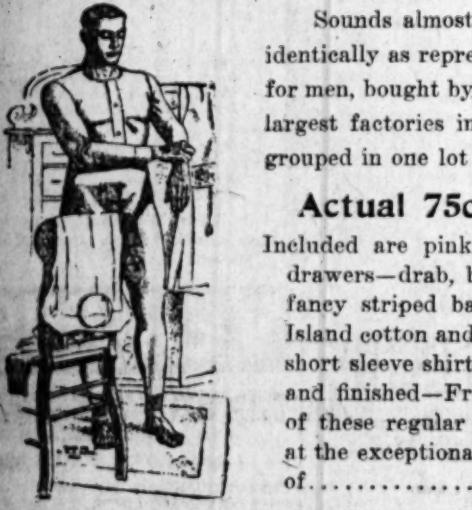
Women's Patent Colt Gibson Ties—Ribbon laces—large eyelets—dull quarter-patent back stay—Cuban heels—new auto last—Goodyear welt—and—

Women's Vici Kid Blucher Oxfords—Patent leather tips—dull kid tops—Cuban heels—Goodyear welt—These shoes are strictly first quality and are the products of one of the most prominent manufacturers in Rochester, N. Y.—Six hundred pairs in the lot—positive \$3 values—Friday, very special, for...

1.79

Men's 75c and \$1 Underwear for 35c

Sounds almost impossible, but you'll find the values here identically as represented. 800 dozen excellent undergarments for men, bought by Famous much under-priced from one of the largest factories in the United States—they've all been grouped in one lot for Friday's rapid selling.


Actual 75c and \$1 Garments for 35c

Included are pink, blue, white and cream Undershirts and drawers—drab, black and white, all black and golden, also fancy striped balbriggan Undershirts and Drawers—Sea Island cotton and mercerized lisle thread Underwear—mostly short sleeve shirts—reinforced drawers—splendidly trimmed and finished—Friday you can choose any of these regular 75c and \$1 garments at the exceptionally low price of...

35c

Boys' Wash Suits

75c kind for 45c Friday

This is Wash Suit weather and boys need them to be comfortably dressed these days—Friday we offer a lot of excellent Wash Suits in the Russian Blouse and Eton Sailor style—made of cheviots and crashes—dark and medium colors—sizes 3 to 8—75c values—Friday very special, choice for... 45c

Boys' Summer Underwear
29c values for 16c
Light weight balbriggan shirts and drawers, sizes 24 to 34—splendid quality; well worth 29c; Friday, per garment... 16c

Boys' Summer Blouses
75c and \$1 values for 42c
All kinds of blouses, wash for boys 3 to 16 years of age—collars attached or plain collar bands—Eton and Russian styles for little fellows—blouses that sold up to \$1.00; Friday at... 42c

\$10 Sanitary Couch and Pad, \$4.75

Again Friday can you benefit by this great bargain—an actual \$10 outfit Friday at Famous for \$4.75.

This Couch is the latest improved, in rich bronze color, with rows of spiral springs in center—inverted legs and ball-bearing—extra strong—worth \$10. The PAD is made of double face figured denim, with arpon ends, making a soft and slightly cover worth \$4.75. Friday, both couch and pad, complete, at the very special price of... 4.75

Women's Summer Clothes at Bargain Prices Friday
Women's \$7.50 Wash Suits, \$3.75

Beautiful summer dresses at half usual price Friday—made of white duck, in the nobby blouse or box coat effects—skirts killed—pretty trimmings with blue duck cuffs and collars—suits well worth \$7.50—Friday very special for...

3.75

\$1.50 Waists, 58c—Of excellent lawn—with wide row of English embroidery down front—deep cuffs of same—worth \$1.50; Friday... 78c

\$2 Silk Waists, \$1.68—Made of heavy china silk—with square lace yoke—deep cuffs; regular \$2 values; Friday, special for... 1.69

\$3 Skirts, \$1.05—Or splendid white duck—in the plaited flounce style—worth \$3; Friday special... 1.95


\$1 Black Woolen Fabrics, 50c

They go at exactly half their worth Friday—45-inch black, red, brown, green, royal, navy, champagne, cadet and light blue—not remnants—but full pieces—will wash and wear indefinitely—splendid 75c quality—Friday while 45 pieces last—choice for...

50c

No phone or mail orders filled on these fabrics. Come early for the best choice.

75c Pongee Silks, 22c Yd.

27-inch Silk Warp Pongees—plain and fancy weaves—in tan, red, brown, green, royal, navy, champagne, cadet and light blue—not remnants—but full pieces—will wash and wear indefinitely—splendid 75c quality—Friday while 45 pieces last—choice for...

22c

No mail or phone orders filled on these silks. Come early for the best choice.

\$5 White Lawn Dresses, \$2.75

Made of sheer white lawns, with panels of embroidery down front of skirt and waist-tucked and kilted—a sensible and fashionable suit for hot weather wear—regular \$5 value—Friday very special for...

2.75

\$10 Skirts, \$1.69—Of striped brillantine, in snappy style—black, blue and white—worth \$1.69; Friday... 1.69

\$2.50 Dresses, \$1.25—Of navy blue, polka dotted wash material—broad plaited style—worth \$2.50; Friday... 1.25

\$3 Wrappers, 48c—Lawn wrappers with fancy braid trimming—deep flounce—or plain style—neat black figures on white—worth \$1; Friday... 49c

75c Petticoats, 39c—Made of gingham and chambray—double ruffle—elegant hemstitching, various colors—Friday... 39c

Men's and Young Men's Outing Pants

\$3.50 and \$4 Values for \$1.95

Now is the time outing pants are most in demand—this decided bargain offering Friday is therefore most opportune—we will place on sale 700 pairs of splendidly tailored, correctly fashioned Outing Pants—made of high quality wool crashes and casimères—with cuff bottoms and belt straps—light and medium colors—perfect hanging—no such pants were ever shown elsewhere under \$3.50 and \$4—Friday, at Famous, very special for...

1.95

Men's \$12.50 Outing Suits, 7.50

Men's \$16.50 Outing Suits, 9.75

Men's \$20 Outing Suits, 12.50


Friday is the Last Day of That Great Sale of Laces and Embroideries

Which Famous secured to such exceedingly good advantage from one of New York's most prominent importing concerns—don't miss these bargains—it'll be a long time before such money saving snags again come your way—

35c Embroideries, 15c a yd—7 to 12-inch Swiss Nainsook and Cambrie Embroidered edges only—heavily embroidered designs—29c to 35c values—Friday, choice at yd... 15c

30c and 35c Floucings, 19c—Embroidered—downings—up to 18 inches wide—extremely showy patterns—all the popular designs in Nainsook, Swiss and Cambrie—29c and 35c qualities—Friday, choice at yard... 19c

10c to 49c Laces, 10c—Point de Paris, Normandy Val, and Plain Val, laces and insertions—tulip, rose, daisy and other artistic effects—the laces are 2 to 10 inches wide—insertions and lace bands to match—10c to 49c values—Friday, choice at yard... 10c

Practical Summer Household Wares At special bargain prices for Friday at Famous
Gas Chandeliers

20 more of those high-grade brass chandeliers selected for Friday's selling—these fine pieces... 59c

45c

Arms with fancy shell center—2-light—worth \$2.50; Friday... 1.88

3-light—worth \$3.00; Friday... 2.00

4-light—worth \$3.50; Friday... 2.08

48c

Allovers, 39c yd—Nottingham Allovers—18 inches wide—white and two-toned effects—exquisite patterns—up to 75c values—Friday, choice at... 39c

39c

Embroideries, 10c yard—Nainsook, Swiss and Cambrie Embroidery edges and insertions—3, 4 and 5 inches wide—blond and open work effects—fast edges—up to 25c values—Friday, at yard... 10c

10c

Jelly Glasses—with tin lids—1-3 pt. size, worth 25c doz.; Friday... 19c

22c Hammocks Friday... 22c

22c Hammocks Friday... 22c

24c Hammocks Friday... 24c

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GUFFEE FILES A CHARGE AGAINST SOUTHERN ROADS

Fiercely Attacks Rebate System by Which Standard Oil Co. Holds Monopoly of Trade in Certain Territory.

INDEPENDENT REFINERS READY FOR BITTER WAR

Cases Made by Gulf Company of Texas Are Laid Before Interstate Commerce Commission for Their Investigation.

By Wire from the Washington Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, June 29.—The Standard Oil Co. must prepare for the fiercest fight of its existence if it hopes to retain the monopoly heretofore enjoyed.

The independent refiners have inaugurated the most vigorous war yet waged and the prospects of success are better than in any previous undertaking of this character.

The fight will be led by Col. J. M. Guffey, the prominent Pennsylvania politician, who, through his counsel, has filed a petition with the Interstate Commerce Commission against the Standard Oil Co.

The petition comprises a complaint from the Gulf Refining Co. of Port Arthur, Tex., of which Col. Guffey is president, against the Illinois Central, the Louisville & Nashville, the Clinchfield, New Orleans & Texas Pacific, the Alabama Great Southern and the New Orleans and Northeastern railroad companies, alleged that these railroads have entered into a combination with the Standard Oil Co. by which that company is given a monopoly of the oil business through discriminating rates that are prohibitive to the products of the complainant. The Interstate Commerce Commission is asked to investigate the matter and hear the opinions of the complainants, and, failing that the laws are being violated, both by the Standard Oil Co. and by the defendant railroad companies.

The lawyers for the Gulf company are Messrs. Reed, Smith, Shaw and Mead, the firm of which Senator Knox was formerly a member. There are also Mr. Guffey's personal attorneys and their action in filing a petition is understood to have been upon instructions from Col. Guffey.

In the testimony it is sufficient to prove the assertions of the Gulf company that there is no question the various railroads in the combination charged rates on the limited and half a dozen stock cars were demoralized.

Blame for the collision has not been fixed. The limited train apparently had the right of way. Thomas P. Flanagan, engineer of the stock car, was jumped and escaped injury, could not be found immediately following the wreck.

TWO ST. LOUIS GIRLS WELLESLEY GRADUATES



DEATH DEALING TORNADO VISITS NORTH KANSAS

Eight Persons Are Killed and Scores of Others Injured by Storm Which Sweeps Country About Phillipsburg.

LIVESTOCK KILLED AND PROPERTY DESTROYED

Telegraph and Telephone Wires Down and the Strickler District Cut Off From Communication.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

FAIRBURY, Neb., June 29.—A tornado swept over the country south of here doing enormous damage to property, killing a number of people and injuring a score of others in the vicinity of Phillipsburg, Kan., a town on the Rock Island Railroad, about 20 miles from this place.

Eight persons are known to be dead, and it is believed that there are others, but all the reports from the stricken district can not be confirmed at this time, as a. the telegraph and telephone wires are down in the territory passed over by the storm.

More than a score of people were injured and much livestock was killed.

The property damage is very heavy.

Phillipsburg was badly torn up.

The path of the storm is not a wide one, but everything in it is completely wrecked.

Slight damage was done in the southern part of this State a few miles south of here upon the Kansas roads.

The greatest fury of the storm seemed to center about five or six miles north of Phillipsburg. Here everything was swept away in the shape of a building, and most of the killings took place.

So far as learned the killed are:

Dan Weaver, farmer, six miles north of Phillipsburg.

Mrs. Robert Alexander, a neighbor of the Weaver's.

Two daughters of Mrs. Alexander.

W. J. Morgan, farmer, five miles north of Phillipsburg.

Farm hand on Morgan's place.

Elmer Lamb, farmer and neighbor of Morgan.

Mrs. Jane Alexander.

Complete reports are expected to add to this list.

Aid for the stricken district has been sent from this city, and from other surrounding towns.

Heavy rains followed the tornado, and all the little streams are full and overflowing.

MISS ROGERS' BODY FOUND IN SARANAC

Mystery of Virginia Girl's Disappearance Solved by Grewsome Discovery.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

SARANAC LAKE, N. Y., June 29.—At a meeting of the Executive Board of the Mutual State University last night established a medical school to care for the last two years of course of students, a definite proposition was made to about 25 physicians, principally representatives of the University Medical College of Kansas City. Conditions are:

The Board of Curators must have a free hand in the selection of the faculty for the college.

The college must have under its ownership and control a clinical hospital of adequate size for use in connection with the school.

The hospital must come to the university free of debt or incumbrance of the debts.

The trustees of the University Medical College offered their school with its entire equipment to the Mutual University.

The estimated value of the equipment and their other equity in the property is \$15,000.

The property so the property may be given.

It is believed that the property is given to the Mutual University.

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King Alfonso is as polite as Alphonse.

SHARPENING DULL MINDS.
Mr. Bryan delivered an eloquent address before
the Nebraska State University June 15, in the course
of which he said:

"Those who are foolish enough to exchange the
permanent advantages of an education for the temporary
gain of remunerative employment, have, as a rule, a protracted season of repentance. As the
workman gains rather than loses by the time employed in sharpening his tools, so the student accumulates more capital by careful preparation than he can by too early an entrance upon money making."

Parents who are disposed to yield to the son's desire to go to work before his education is finished should think of Mr. Bryan's figure of the
workman and his tool. A man with the right sort of character can make a dull mind do great things.
But he can do greater if his father has the good
sense to sharpen it well before turning him loose.

What if King Oscar shall lose two crowns? Los-
ing two crowns is even better than losing one. The
crown absurdity has lasted too long in Europe.

GREATNESS BY TELEPATHY.
An English schoolboy wrote to Gen. Kuroki telling
him that his strategy and tactics were entirely satis-
factory and tendered his own and his schoolfellow's good wishes.

In reply he received a postal card from the General's aide-de-camp, thanking him for his kind words
and wishing him and his schoolmates the best of
good fortune.

An eminent man must be delighted when a small boy on the other side of the earth takes the trouble to write to him and tell him he is "all right." A
boy's praise is something to be proud of, for he is
impartial, frank, unspoiled. There is no trace of selfish interest in his opinions. His judgment is, at
least, unbiased.

Millions of school children all over the world have
their minds turned toward Togo, Oyama, Kuroki
and the rest. Is there telepathic influence in this
universal interest which reaches the heroes in the Far East? Why not say yes, since nobody can say no?

Who can say, then, how much the successful
man owes to the good will of people who regard
him from afar with admiration and respect? Once
make himself conspicuous by a wise or brave act,
and the whole world unites to raise him still higher.

Fantastic! Yes, but nobody will dare say there
is nothing in it.

It's a good summer for Bishop Potter's beer gar-
den.

TICKER IN JURY BOX.
It is no new thing for the majesty of the law to be
unbiased in response to business demands. There was
a cell in Sing Sing Prison a few years ago which was
virtually a Wall street office. But a ticker in a
jury room is a decided new departure. In granting
a New York cotton broker the privilege of receiving
quotations as a juror, Judge Foster has established
a novel precedent of judicial concession. His action
will point a moral and adorn a tale for foreign critics of our strenuous financial life. Inci-
piently, it breaks down the last remaining refuge
that was sound proof against the click which is not
to be eluded even in midocean.

The precedent is not without momentous possibilities.

On the theory, which the judge found reasonable, that to continue in touch with his business
would remove the distraction which kept the jurors' minds off the trial, jurymen may yet plead the
advantages to the court and themselves of telephone communication with their offices. And following the
private telephone why not the private secretary, or
at least the phonograph into which to dictate business
letters? It may be indeed that Judge Foster's decision
has abolished for all time the terrors of juror duty to busy men.

Knabenshue is so successfully managing his air-
ships that he may soon be able to give a satisfactory
estimate of the amount of rubber in the American
airship.

AMERICAN WOMEN IN ENGLAND.
Under the title: "Titled Colonials vs. Tit Lid Anericans," a writer in the Contemporary Review holds up
the American woman in English society to ridicule and contempt.

"Americans hold, perhaps, the cheapest social ideal
of any great people of whom we have any record,
for it aims at nothing higher than 'having a good
time.'"

The Colonial "is not behind the rest of the world
in the pursuit of wealth, but he takes it more easily
than the Englishman, and infinitely more easily
than the American." —President Roosevelt in his Harvard
address.

The difference comes to a head in the varying
family relations: "In the colonies a girl is her
father's daughter. In the United States a man is
very much his daughter's father."

These are smart sayings and sound well. But
generalities which glitter are usually hollow.

Some facts brought, however, are interesting. Ac-
cording to Burke's Peerage for 1904 there are 60,000
titled persons in English society, but of these only
20 are American. "Since 1840 30 peers or eldest sons
of peers have married in the United States. Of
these 10 have no children at all, five have no sons
and five have an only son. There are 30 peers' children
with American mothers. During the same

period 23 peers or peers' eldest sons have married in
the colonies. Of these four have no children, seven
have one son, eight have two sons and two have
three sons. In all there are 63 children with
Colonial mothers and 29 of them are sons; that is
to say, though the number of Colonial peers is
seven less than the number of American peers,
they have nearly twice as many children. Six
Colonial peers are childless, while 19 Ameri-
cans are in that forlorn condition.

Presidential College "Grads." —President Roosevelt's presence at Harvard with his class '80 is a reminder that most of our presidents have been college graduates. Among the 23 only six were entirely without college training. These were Jackson, Van Buren, Taylor, Fillmore, Lincoln and Cleveland. McKinley attended Union Seminary, Mahoning County, Ohio, and from there went to Allegheny College, Meadville, Pa., where he entered the junior class. Ill health compelled him to leave before graduation. Jefferson, Monroe and Tyler were graduates of William and Mary, Madison of Princeton. The two Adamses and Roosevelt were Harvard men. Grant was a West Pointer. Honors are even between Harvard and William and Mary, each having graduated three future presidents. Polk was a son of the University of North Carolina, Pierce of Bowdoin, Buchanan of Dickenson, Hayes of Kenyon, Garfield of Williams, Arthur of Union and B. Harrison of Miami. W. H. Harrison attended Hampden Sidney, but there is no record of his graduation.

King Alfonso is as polite as Alphonse.

Like the boulders, the gamblers have pinned their
faith to technicalities.

It seems that Engineer Wallace was doing the
work while the President's friends were getting the
glory. That doesn't look like a "square deal."

Without the telegraph and the telephone the race-
track gambling game would be dead in Missouri.
These conveniences enable the gamblers to evade the
law. Are the respectable directors of the telegraph
and telephone companies willing to serve as the paid
agents of the law breakers?

BE CONSISTENT MR. SWANGER.
Secretary of State Swanger should not be too pre-
cipitate in his winding up of the Salmon & Salmon
Bank at Clinton, Mo. To be sure, it appears that
the bank has been insolvent for two years and is
thoroughly stripped of cash assets. It appears also
that the manager has forged sundry securities upon
which money has been borrowed.

But Mr. Swanger should bear in mind that it
takes time to straighten out the tangled affairs of a
mismanaged bank. If he should give the bank
manager time enough he might be able to straighten
out the books and substitute good securities for
bad securities. He might be able to bolster up its
bad enterprises. Would it not be wise for Mr.
Swanger to write several letters to the manager of the
bank, suggesting to him the conditions under
which the bank would be permitted to continue busi-
ness. He might insist that the manager appoint
to the Board of Directors men satisfactory to the
Secretary of State and that unforged paper be sub-
stituted for forged paper within a reasonable time.

According to the mode of procedure heretofore
followed by Mr. Swanger, this course of action
would at least be consistent.

The Oregon whipping post is considered a great
success, the jailer, with his braided rawhide, bring-
ing blood at the fourth blow. He may do better
with practice.

MORE TAINTED MONEY.
In refusing to live with her husband because he
won large sums of money at the racetrack, Mrs.
William Connell of Staten Island, N. Y., puts a new
phase on the "tainted money" question.

While women, as a rule, have a high moral sense
pertaining to the grave affairs of life, it is not often
that we hear of one refusing money from any source,
when furnished by the man who has sworn to love
and cherish her, and, by inference, to provide for
her; and when one goes so far as to desert her home
and husband because he leaves rolls of "tainted"
money lying around on tables and in drawers, as
Mrs. Connell says her husband repeatedly did, her
action is so unusual as to occasion wide comment.

So useful a thing is money, and so many desirable
things will it purchase, that even ladies of high
moral sense have been known to smile complacently
and complaisantly when hubby, after a "little social
game," returned home with bulging pockets and
offered them the price of a Parisian bonnet.

If there were more women like Mrs. Connell, it
would seem to an observer, it would not be so
difficult for governors and sheriffs to put the lid on
racetracks.

Knabenshue is so successfully managing his air-
ships that he may soon be able to give a satisfactory
estimate of the amount of rubber in the American
airship.

AMERICAN WOMEN IN ENGLAND.
Under the title: "Titled Colonials vs. Tit Lid Ameri-
cans," a writer in the Contemporary Review holds up
the American woman in English society to ridicule and contempt.

"Americans hold, perhaps, the cheapest social ideal
of any great people of whom we have any record,
for it aims at nothing higher than 'having a good
time.'"

The Colonial "is not behind the rest of the world
in the pursuit of wealth, but he takes it more easily
than the Englishman, and infinitely more easily
than the American." —President Roosevelt in his Harvard
address.

The difference comes to a head in the varying
family relations: "In the colonies a girl is her
father's daughter. In the United States a man is
very much his daughter's father."

These are smart sayings and sound well. But
generalities which glitter are usually hollow.

Some facts brought, however, are interesting. Ac-
cording to Burke's Peerage for 1904 there are 60,000
titled persons in English society, but of these only
20 are American. "Since 1840 30 peers or eldest sons
of peers have married in the United States. Of
these 10 have no children at all, five have no sons
and five have an only son. There are 30 peers' children
with American mothers. During the same

period 23 peers or peers' eldest sons have married in
the colonies. Of these four have no children, seven
have one son, eight have two sons and two have
three sons. In all there are 63 children with
Colonial mothers and 29 of them are sons; that is
to say, though the number of Colonial peers is
seven less than the number of American peers,
they have nearly twice as many children. Six
Colonial peers are childless, while 19 Ameri-
cans are in that forlorn condition.

Presidential College "Grads." —President Roosevelt's presence at Harvard with his class '80 is a reminder that most of our presidents have been college graduates. Among the 23 only six were entirely without college training. These were Jackson, Van Buren, Taylor, Fillmore, Lincoln and Cleveland. McKinley attended Union Seminary, Mahoning County, Ohio, and from there went to Allegheny College, Meadville, Pa., where he entered the junior class. Ill health compelled him to leave before graduation. Jefferson, Monroe and Tyler were graduates of William and Mary, Madison of Princeton. The two Adamses and Roosevelt were Harvard men. Grant was a West Pointer. Honors are even between Harvard and William and Mary, each having graduated three future presidents. Polk was a son of the University of North Carolina, Pierce of Bowdoin, Buchanan of Dickenson, Hayes of Kenyon, Garfield of Williams, Arthur of Union and B. Harrison of Miami. W. H. Harrison attended Hampden Sidney, but there is no record of his graduation.

Battle-Ships and Babies

By J. Campbell Cory.



The latest tip in statesmanship from Theodore the Great
Is "Boats ten score and kids galore to man our ship of State!"

JUST A MINUTE...

For
POST-DISPATCH
VERSE AND HUMOR

What's De Use?

What's de use uv any kid.
Goin' barefoot any time,
An' go chasin' all around,
Dyin' jus' t' run an' climb.
Up de plum an' apple trees,
Over house an' barn an' shed,
If dy makes him wash his feet
'Fore dey lets him go t' bed?

What's de use uv goin' out
T' de quarry pond or creek,
An' uv swimmin' wit' de kids.
Ever' evatin' in de week,
Treadin' water in de hole,
Divin' in, heads over head,
If dy makes him wash his feet
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ILLUSTRATED MAGAZINE FOR HOME READERS

THURSDAY EVENING.
JUNE 25, 1908.



SYNOPSIS OF PRECEDING CHAPTERS.

Edwina Rose, who was an infant prodigy on the piano, reaches the age of 19 and she realizes that her musical genius is not great enough to satisfy the ambition of her family, which has made sacrifices all her life for her education. She abandons the piano and on Carl Dausman's recommendation is enrolled as a telephone operator you do not know how to appreciate the art of ages of mental and physical attractions voices are.

A blind girl touches your face with the tips of her delicate fingers and tells you that you are beautiful. The hidden operator listens to your voice and fatigues your quality. She learns that sharpness may be only hurry, urgency; that expletives may be a clean soul's one failure from the path of righteousness; that gush and drawl and slang may mark the speech of a woman long past the age of school and judge.

She learns instinctively to find all the traits of character in speech. Miss Edwina once said that, so telephonic had she become, when she met new people face to face she closed her eyes for a space listening to their voices. She could not trust her eyes to see that which her ears were trained to detect.

Edwina's musically trained ear soon caught the trick of Will's voice. Howard Miller, too, was smitten with his personality and she knew him instantly when he spoke to her at the ball. Some of his associates among the young men engaged in the installation of the new switchboard were envious of his good fortune in picking out so pretty a girl. They identified her by name and number, and the next day one of them called her.

Of course it was Frank Stuart. Life was a joke to him and he was ever incapable of understanding that other folk regarded existence less lightly.

"This is St. Louis long distance," Edwina explained. "Mr. Lawson Miller wishes to talk to Mr. Gregory Anderson."

"I'll call him," said the hotel operator, and Edwina heard her send a bellboy in search of Anderson.

He came quickly and said: "Shut up," growled Miller, "and hustle that bid in."

Thus the voices disappeared from the room and Edwina's hands, ears and voice went about meeting other emergencies.

"Williams has gone to Indianapolis on the noon train to put in a low bid," Miller said again and again.

"What you say? Talk louder," shouted Anderson.

Edwina repeated Miller's sentence.

"What'll we do?" Anderson asked.

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CHAPTER IV. Seeing by Wire.

YOU know in a general sort of fashion that the voice changes with age, that the voices of sweet persons are soothing and that the voices of nervous persons nag and irritate; but if you never had experience as a telephone operator you do not know how to appreciate the art of ages of mental and physical attractions voices are.

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"What number do you wish?"

"O, now—but he was cut off and went back to his work a trifle crestfallen.

Edwina's life had been undisturbed by boys. She knew many of the old High School crowd and many who grew up in the neighborhood on North Taylor, where she was born and reared; but her days had been too full of study to allow of heart interests.

It was Will's marriage to jolly little Edie, his lifelong sweetheart, that awoke her to the thought that somewhere a mate awaited her. Rather it was Edie's great happiness in the possession of Will, her startling confidences of present bliss and future hopes, for Edie was a true woman who finds in husband, home and children all the aim and end of living.

Edwina passed in review those young men among her friends in whom she had more than common interest: Jack Felton, whose eyes were bold as his forehead; Edmund, Bill Klein, sober, steady and practically unknown; Thomas, gay, alert, successful and so tender of that little wisp of a mother; Jim Gregg, whom the boys made to butt of many a joke, at which he laughed heartiest of all; Harvey Elder, who was said to be a little wild, but was doing well under a harsh uncle's hard discipline; Howard Roy—

She flushed a little at thought of him. He had many qualities of attraction. In the first place, their acquaintance was somewhat irregular—there had never been an introduction. It had the flavor of the illegitimate, the romantic. His manner was easy and assured. He wore clothes well and he talked well. Roy was experienced in the ways of girls, and while genuinely respectful, assumed gravity fully that leadership which other men of his acquaintance took awkwardly.

His devotion at the ball had been marked enough to set the other girls' tongues wagging, but it was not embarrassing.

Edwina dismissed consideration of him, for she knew that he had no permanent place of abode. Employed by a big Chicago house he was, as he was sent from Portland, Me., to Portland, Ore., and from Manitoba to New Orleans. He would soon pass out of her life and be among the beings forgotten or dead.

"Four—five—six, Indianapolis," said a voice on the wire.

"What is your number?" Edwina was in the middle register of her voice, conversationally and ending with the rising inflection.

"Three—one—five—oh, Main." "What is your name?" "Lawson, Miller." "Whom do you wish to talk to at four fifty-six, Indianapolis?" "Gregory Anderson."

"I'll call you when I get him."



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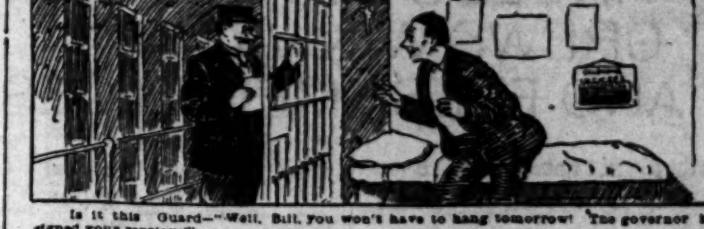
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No Limit.



WHAT IS MOST INTENSE MOMENT OF HAPPINESS A HUMAN BEING CAN FEEL?



Rust, Guardian Angel, Best.



Night Watchman: I ketched him in the act, sir. He was boring holes in the front of your safe.

Prominent Merchant: And you butted in, and prevented me from recovering \$16,000 on my burglar insurance for the loss of a worn-out cash book and a pair of spurs. You're fired, you are.

Painful.



Mrs. Dewitt: What is that piece Kitty is singing?

Mr. Dewitt: It's either an aria from "Parasita" or she has seen a mouse and is scared.—San Francisco Call.

Fame's Limit.

'Tis fine to be the leader of a host of fighting men; To fight to be a champion, and To triumph with tongue and pen; Yet, these are mighty honors, yet A greater one I'd deem To be the second baseman of a pennant winning team.

Shifting the News.



"Wuxtry! Wuxtry! Horrible—horrible! All about the suicide of Snappy for love!"

"Say, you wretched hoodlum! I hired you to tell that if I left Miranda's without my hat. She's accepted me and I don't need you."

"Wuxtry! Wuxtry! All about the suicide of Miranda!"

All Right.

"It's a beautiful world!" exclaimed the caddie, enthusiastically.

"Yes," said Mr. Rockefeller, looking appreciatively about. "I don't know that I ever owned a better one.—Life.

Cleaned Out.

These graduating dresses.

The family funds diminish,

And Genevieve's commencement

Results in papa's finish.

A Striking Woman.

Come row me over the wave,

Charon:

Row me over the wave;

Live is an endless close shave;

Charon,

Row me over the wave.

Charon,</p

BANK CUSTOMERS WERE BETRAYED, CHEATED, ROBBED

Story of Crooked Dealings by Cashier of Salmon Institution at Clinton as Told by Examiner Cook.

CREDITS DEPOSITED ON NOTES NEVER ENTERED

Number and Amount of Forged Collateral Not Stated for Public Because of Promise Made to Thomas M. Casey.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
CLINTON, Mo., June 29.—The manner in which the Salmon & Salmon Bank betrayed, cheated, and robbed its best friends is shown by the following incidents, the truth of which are vouched for by R. M. Cook, the State Bank Examiner, who is now finishing an examination of the bank's affairs:

Two years ago, when George M. Casey, the short-horn cattle king of America, failed for a half million dollars in this country, the Salmon & Salmon Bank was embarrassed by it, and Thos. M. Casey, manager of the bank, a son of George M. Casey, undertook to help out his father, who was threatened with criminal prosecution.

Thomas M. Casey went to W. W. Adams, a rich farmer, and lifelong friend, and asked Adams to go with him to Kansas City to endorse some paper upon which Casey hoped to borrow money to tide over his father's trouble. Adams could not go with him to Kansas City, but, at the suggestion of Casey, he endorsed three blank notes, which Casey was to take with him to Kansas City and put out and use in case he needed them to deposit as collateral security for a loan. Later, when Casey had returned from Kansas City, he told Adams that it did not become necessary for him to use the notes, and that he had not used them.

Adams asked him then to return the notes.

Clinton Real Estate Man Who Made the Charges of Forgery Against Salmon Bank Cashier



"I tore them up," said Casey.
Since the failure of the Salmon bank, Mr. Cook has found these notes. They were filled in by Casey for sums aggregating \$17,000 and were hypothecated by him as follows:

One note for \$6000 is in the hands of the Commonwealth Trust Co. of St. Louis; one is in the hands of Wiley O. Cox, Kansas City State Bank; one for \$4000 is held by Parks Ball, a bookkeeper of the bank, who paid that much in cash for it to the bank.

Parks Ball's Purchases.

Parks Ball is a young man who was a bookkeeper in the bank with Casey for several years. His mother was well-to-do and he invested most of her money in such "glit-edge" securities as this Adams note.

One of those he bought was the note of J. R. Barker for \$4000. Barker is a brother-in-law of "Tom" Casey. The night before the bank closed its doors reached Chicago.

Ball rode out to the Barker farm and asked him to dash the \$4000 note. Barker, who was worth \$50,000 before the failure, pointed to a mare and colt, which stood near and said: "Ball, I am all I have left; I am ruined, too."

Another note, which Ball bought from the bank, was the note of Salmon & Salmon for \$12,000, endorsed by William Adair, wealthy father of this boy.

Mr. Adair's note declares that his endorsement of the note is a forgery, that he never signed it. Of this note Mr. Cook said today: "Casey declares the note is genuine, while Adair declares it is a forgery."

In view of the fact that Casey has forged many other notes the people here believe Adair's statement.

The Coon Creek Coal Co. of this city sold a steam dirt excavator to a Chicago firm for \$4500, and were to draw upon the firm for the money when the excavator reached Chicago.

WALLACE IS NO LONGER PANAMA CHIEF ENGINEER

Officer Who Wanted Free Hand in Canal Work Now Free of the Influence of Hampering Orders.

ROOSEVELT FORMALLY ACCEPTS RESIGNATION

It Was the First Official Act of President on Reaching His Summer Office at Oyster Bay.

OYSTER BAY, N. Y., June 29.—The resignation of Chief Engineer Wallace of the Isthmian Canal Commission has been accepted. The resignation was tendered at a conference in New York between Mr. Wallace and Secretary Taft.

Mr. Wallace received while in Panama, an offer of a position with a great corporation, the name of which he withheld, at a salary of \$6000 per annum.

His salary with the Panama Canal Commission and as chief engineer of the canal was \$25,000 a year. When he told Secretary Taft that he desired to accept the offer which had been tendered to him, he expressed his feeling in the matter.

Engineer Wallace suggested to Secretary Taft that he would remain with the commission two months longer, but after considering the matter President Roosevelt dictated Secretary Taft to accept the resignation at once. There is no concealment by the commission of its feeling regarding Mr. Wallace's tender at this time of his resignation.

It is felt that he has not acted fairly to the Government in accepting comparatively recently the responsibility of directing the canal construction and now offering his resignation at a time which is regarded as crucial in the work of the canal. It is said that he not only accepted the position as chief engineer, but sought it and expressed his entire satisfaction with the salary given to him by the Government.

It has not been definitely decided who Mr. Wallace's successor will be, although an announcement of his appointment may be expected within a day or two. The President and Secretary Taft have made a tender of the place to a distinguished constructing engineer, but his name for the present is withheld.

Mr. Wallace is known to have expressed a desire, as far as he can tell, to be chief engineer of the canal if the Administration would give him a free hand in the work, not subject to hampering orders of the commission.

RARE DISEASE IS SOON FATAL

Negro Dies at City Hospital of "Aestivo Autumnal," a Form of Malaria.

John Brock, 60 years old, living at 101 South Third street, a carpenter, died at the City Hospital from a malady known to the medical profession as aestivo autumnal, first encountered on the Zambezi River in Africa, and later found to exist in the extreme Southern states of the Union.

Brock was taken to the hospital Wednesday in an unconscious condition. He died 12 hours later. His pulse was 140 and his temperature 102.8, and the general symptoms were such as to lead to his being diagnosed as a congestive chill.

An examination of his blood has been made, however, and reveals the fact that his death was caused by the rarest form of malaria known to medical science. The malady is one that causes the formation in the blood of crescents that apparently absorb and destroy the red blood corpuscles until the patient falls into unconsciousness and dies. These strange crescents in the blood are found to contain remains of the red blood corpuscles that have been absorbed, and it is this fact which causes the belief in their destructive powers in this particular disease.

Drugs with quinine were given to Brock in powerful doses, but he was too far gone when taken to the hospital for these drugs to have any material effect. There is no history in his case prior to his removal to the hospital, consequently it is not known where he contracted the disease that caused his death.

DEMOCRATS PLAN CAMPAIGN

State Executive Committee in Session to Outline Next Year's Work.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., June 29.—The Democratic State Committee convened the Executive Committee of that body here today to discuss the organization for the next year.

The meeting was called in pursuance of a resolution adopted at the last meeting of the State Committee and provides for the election of a State Executive Committee to take up different branches of the work. Besides Chairman Evans, there were present State Insurance Superintendent W. B. Vander, Auditor Clerk Speed, Mohay of the Governor's office, Coal Oil Inspector E. M. Lowe of the State Tax Bureau, and Frank Russell of Laclede County. Warden Matt Hall of the Penitentiary, Adjutant-General DeArmond, and several others.

Chairman Evans will announce the selection of the subcommittees before the conference terminates.

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QUIT CONTRACT WITH GOVERNMENT

Metropolitan Dredging Co. Refuses to Finish Ambrose Channel.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, June 29.—Owing to a disagreement with the United States Government, the Metropolitan Dredging Co. has thrown up its contract for dredging the Ambrose channel and paid off its men.

The contract, amounting to several millions of dollars, will probably become the subject of litigation. The disagreement was two fold. Andrew Dordronk, the contractor with whom the transaction was first closed, died a few days ago, and the War Department has officially refused to recognize anybody in the matter but his estate. This places the corporation which financed the enterprise under the name of the Metropolitan Dredging Co. in an anomalous position, for it cannot collect money from the United States Treasury. As there remains only a comparatively small balance the directors of the corporation thought this was a good time to cry quits.

The other reason was a source of misunderstanding for the last nine months. The company officials say the Government dredgers have been removing the sand, leaving the Metropolitan dredgers to do the work of the day.

This has made their contract "from profitable, as the estimate was that the dredges would be idle.

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MRS. EDWARDS MUST HANG

Commutation Refused Woman Found Guilty of Murdering Husband.

HARRISBURG, Pa., June 29.—The State Board of Pardons today finally disposed of the case of Mrs. Kate Edwards, the Berks County woman under sentence of death for the murder of her husband by refusing to grant her a commutation. The board appears from the decision of the board, which has twice before refused to commute the sentence, that the public prosecutor will fix the date of her execution later.

A telegram containing 26,000 signatures asking that her sentence be commuted was presented by Mrs. Annie Pitch of Cleveland.

Alton Glass Plants to Close.

Arrangements are completed for the closing of the plants of the Illinois Glass Co. in Alton for the summer. On Friday night the glass houses will be closed, and by Friday night all of the plants will be closed.

The weather conditions make it impossible for the men to work during the winter. The 3000 men of the plant will have a vacation until the first Labor Day in December, when the plants will resume operation.

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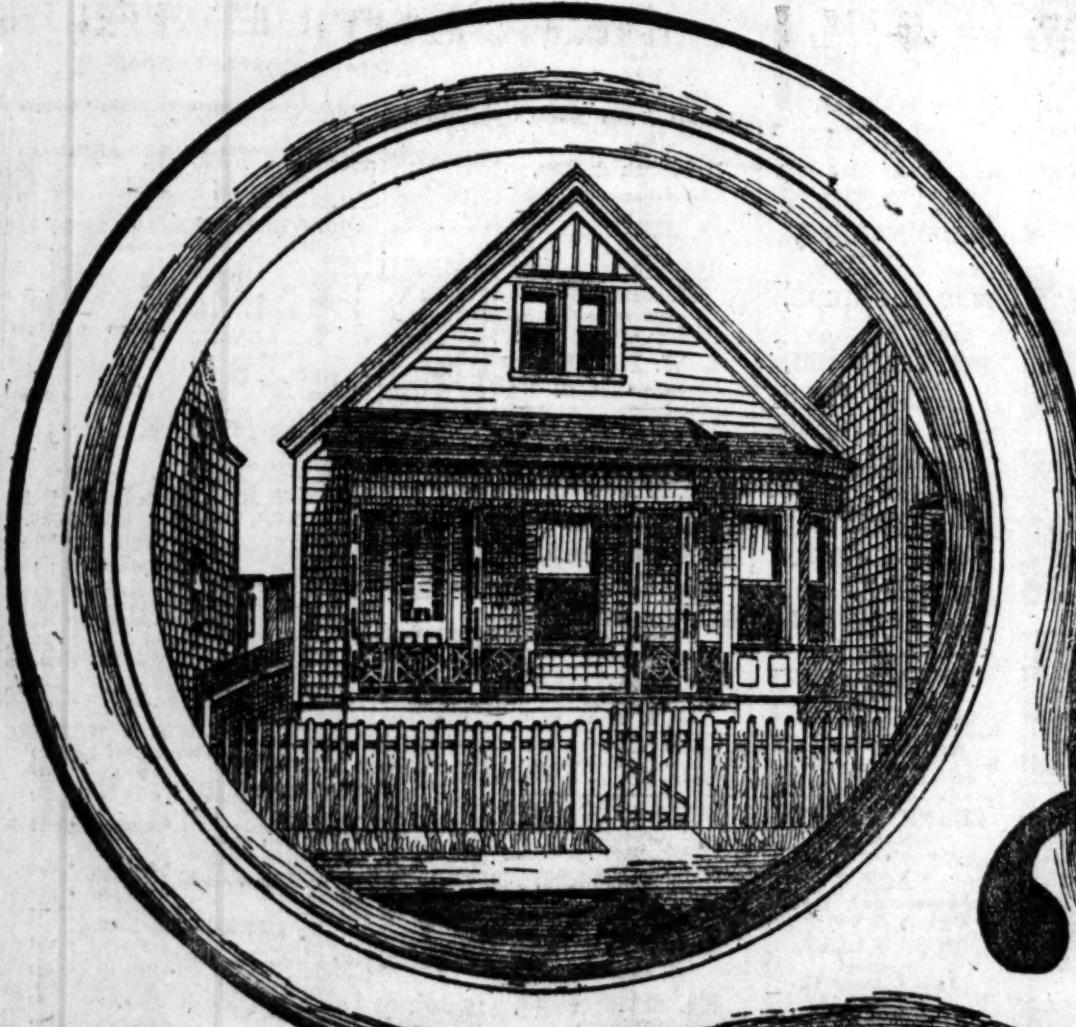
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SOME MISTAKES OF ENGLISH AS IT IS WRITTEN

Errors That Are Made at Examinations by Pupils and a Few of Those Set Down by Teachers.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CHICAGO, June 28.—The teaching force and the district superintendents in the public schools have just completed their arduous labors of poring over the examinations papers on which the children depend for their promotions. It is said that Mark Twain is "English as She Is Taught" has been endorsed by some of the pupils in the schools this year.

When the examiner reads that the Caribbean Sea is "south of the Philippines," his work is considerably lightened.

"Of course, children make mistakes in their examination papers, 'when they know better,'" said one teacher. "But, quite against the boy's judgment somebody does a thing, to the teacher's examination papers when she makes a mistake, 'knowing better.' There's a broad probability that the mistakes of teachers, as told in their examination papers somewhere or other in the Board of Education, deserve worse than first rate material for the funny pages

of newspapers. Every one of those mistakes means a perilous thing to a teacher. I may as well make an example of myself by saying that I struck a snag in the query, 'Where is Timbuctoo, and what historical event made the place conspicuous?' Say, where is Timbuctoo?"

"Timbuctoo—well, now—Timbuctoo?" replied the person from whom the question was asked. "I don't just remember."

"Neither did I when I read the question," said the teacher. "So I skipped the question, which was a better venture, perhaps, than another teacher's answer. She said it was located in Central America, not far from Panama. Another placed it as an island off Australia."

Timbuctoo?—it may be diverting to spring the question on the family after dinner, or at the "boarding place" table just to discover how many folks can answer the question correctly on the fly.

Some Unique Answers.

Here are some of the startling answers pupils gave to the questions asked during examinations:

"Port Orford is Oregon."

"A township includes 36 townships."

"The national colors of the United States were adopted by the first Congress held after the war of the revolution."

"Porto Rico is the chief island of the Lesser Antilles."

"The result of the result of a mathematical ratio produced by a regular increase in numbers."

"All the mistakes are not made by pupils." The teachers themselves, in taking examinations, have made some queer answers.

Can you correct these answers given by teachers when "they knew better"?

Answers given in the little wedding

lands."

"The capital of Montana is Butte. It is the greatest mining camp in the world."

"These reminiscences of the mistakes of teachers are facts, although not strictly accurate in all cases, and quotations might be more interesting," said a district superintendent smiling significantly—and then, more seriously.

"Questions for the examinations are prepared with a view to clearness. The great mistake, however, is to prepare obscure questions, sort of puzzlers. The fact is, instead of this little and worthless system, we should have broader and more interesting questions, such as modes of government, the condition of states, their processes in mathematical subjects, etc., and grammar in a more natural fashion. The larger scope of fundamental teaching is covered by teachers' examinations."

Another teacher writes:

"Ornithology includes spelling and pronunciation of words, while etymology includes their construction and meaning. The one teaches the building of words, while the other the uses of words."

Do you see the peculiar mixture in these two?—and do you see words that are improperly used, and any fault in construction?

The same paper set forth "syntax" as "the art of words and telling their use in sentences."

Before you criticize the teacher, ask three of your intelligent friends, experienced in education, concerning some educational ability to define, on the spur of the moment, the three—or four—branches of etymology, and syntax.

In answer to a question, the Government of the United States this was written:

"The Constitution is assailed by the Cabinet. This Cabinet includes ten members."

Was you dare to wager your best and your next best to the correctness of the number of members in the Cabinet?

"A examination paper was this statement:

"The judiciary of the United States includes Supreme, Circuit, and District Courts, and the Court of Appeals."

"How many states in the United States are there?"

This is a question that is included in the catechism of the great republic, a question that every schoolboy is expected to answer correctly. In an examination of "grammar school" teachers, it is said, 59 out of 265 answered the question on the numerical status of the Union.

Another teacher fixed the announce-

ment this way:

"The wedding, which occurred on Thursday, was a brilliant affair. It had a very long engagement."

The wedding was the brilliant termination of a long engagement of the happy pair.

Another teacher fixed the announce-

ment this way:

"The quotient is the finish of a mathematical process called multiplication."

That is, the result of a unit of the whole."

"The Caribbean Sea is north of the Philippines."

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ST. LOUISIAN GETS HARVARD HONORS

Eugene A. Hecker Gets Many Prizes at Commencement of Historic College.

To St. Louis, through Eugene Arthur Hecker, came a large portion of the honors that Harvard University had to bestow. Wednesday at commencement exercises, Hecker was graduated with the degree A. B., with highest honors, lights honor in Latin, Latin and German and second honors in Greek and were taken by the St. Louis boy.

At the age of 19 years, Hecker has finished the college course in three years, having worked his way through, obtaining \$1600 in scholarships and \$1000 in loans.

In addition to St. Louis he received the degree of Bachelor of Arts at Harvard Wednesday. Carl Ehrlerman and James S. Martin of St. Louis received the degree of Master of Arts.

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LOCKWOOD INVENTS HYDROSTAT MOTOR TWO MEN HANGED ON SAME GALLOWS

Jersey Man Is Confident He Has Solved Problem of Cheap Power.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, June 29.—Morris C. Lockwood of Vineland, N. J., has invented a hydrostatic motor, which he claims will revolutionize the world and will soon be put on the market.

For 27 years he has expended his money and time on this invention, and has done, he says, what science could not be done. The motor is intended to run the machinery of the world with air and water. The model, he says, works perfectly, and he is now looking for capital.

It is said that it will take but two quarts of water to run a 30-horsepower motor 24 hours.

Lockwood zealously guards his workshop and is so sure that he has solved the problem of cheap power that he has spent his all on the invention.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children teething relieves the child from pain. 25c.

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ST. LOUIS PHYSICIAN DISCOVERS MEANS TO IDENTIFY SMALLPOX

Prof. Ralph L. Thompson Perfects Process by Which Positive Diagnosis Can Be Made Within Three Hours Instead of Three Days—Microscope Shows Germs.

LANCASTER, Pa., June 29.—Lee Furman and John O'Brien were hanged here on the same gallows for the murder of Samuel Ressler, an aged toll-gate keeper, July 1, 1904.

Furman, O'Brien and a man named Craig entered in a fight on the day of the murder. After several persons had been shot and slightly wounded, Craig was captured and subsequently sent to the Penitentiary for 20 years.

Furman and O'Brien escaped, reached the Ressler tollhouse late at night, found guilty of murder in the first degree and sentenced to death.

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\$No Dull Days\$

Just now we have what is known as "fly time" in the furniture business. That means that the heavy buying of housefurnishings is over—it's in "between seasons." We don't, however, intend to let business slack up for a minute—so read of these "flyers."



If you will stop to reason you can figure out that it is impossible to produce a 4-piece Crystal Glass Set at the price we offer this for Friday and up to closing Saturday—9 cents—40c would about cover the cost. All four pieces, remember,

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A 3-Piece Parlor Suite Value That will make things lively here. The frame is of the most substantial build known—in different woods and finishes—the coverings are principally Verona, in various patterns, all bright and new. The suite sells usually up in the forties, but for Friday and Saturday we are going to let go of as many as are called for at

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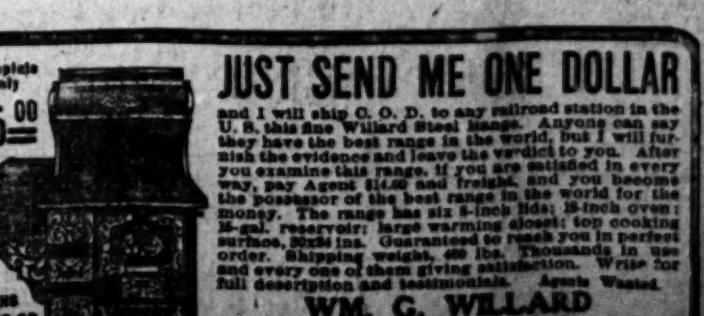
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Reports From Manchuria Indicating the Opening of an Important Land Engagement Raise Hopes of Russians.

ROOSEVELT AGAIN SMOOTHES THE WAY

President's Diplomacy Credited With Averting a Hitch in Peace Proceedings as Result of Czar's Request for Change.

By Associated Press.
HEADQUARTERS RUSSIAN ARMY,
GODZIYADANI, Manchuria, June 19.—The Russian cavalry have retaken the town of Liayang Wopeng. The Japanese occupied the village of Sunmacheung on the main road to Changtu and Mamakai in the morning of June 16, but they did not succeed in crossing the river. At 3 o'clock in the afternoon the Russians recaptured Sunmacheung, three squadrons of Japanese retiring in a southwesterly direction.

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch and New York World.

ST. PETERSBURG, June 19.—Last Saturday's report of an armistice between the Russian and Japanese armies was premature. There has been no cessation of hostilities, and according to afternoon reports at the War Department Field Marshal Oyama has begun a determined advance with the evident object of forcing a general engagement.

While the Russian forces have fallen back before the first assault of the Japanese, no alarm is felt here over this fact, and a spirit of optimism prevails, many of the officials of the war office declaring that Linevitch has excellent chances of defeating Oyama.

The Russian base and strongest position is at Sipinfa. This position has been strongly fortified and is said to possess exceptional strategic advantages. Since the strengthening of the position, however, the Japanese have moved their lines far to the southward. Hence, the Tokio dispatches, telling of the Russian lines being buried back, are not considered sufficient to cause any alarm here, and are simply interpreted to mean that the Russian forces are slowly retreating to their entrenched positions.

Indications are that Oyama is attempting a flanking movement around Linevitch's right, and from the movements of the Russian troops, it is the judgment of the officials at the War Department that Linevitch is preparing to meet this move with a flank attack of the Japanese right.

St. Louis has more Post-Dispatch readers every day than it has homes. "First in everything."

Cooler Weather Assured
More Thundershowers Promised and Lower Temperature Will Prevail.
Those thundershowers—promised for days and days—finally arrived and the weather is milder.

This official forecast: Partly cloudy with thunderstorms Monday night or Tuesday; cooler Tuesday night and variable winds.

"Sounds good." Well, the actual will be gratifying. Monday morning at 10 o'clock the official thermometer gave the temperature at St. Louis. Twenty-four hours previous it was 92. Eleven degrees difference is a good deal, and the weather man said that there was little hindrance of the mercury going to 90 Monday.

The coolest hour was at 4 a.m. Monday when it was 70. That was about the time you drew a sheet up over you after dreaming that you had been shipped to the North Pole on a flat car. There have been thundershowers over the Mississippi and Ohio valleys and the Lake region, and the weather is consequently cooler. But in the vicinity of the Atlantic coast the high temperature continues.

WOMAN FAINTS GOING TO COURT

Plaintiff in Street Car Damage Suit Swoons on Court-house Steps.

While ascending the stairway to Circuit Judge Hough's courtroom Monday morning, Mrs. Sarah Westervelt, plaintiff in a street car damage suit, swooned and fell headlong into the arms of her husband, Peter Westervelt.

Mrs. Westervelt was removed to Judge Fisher's private chambers, where she revived in a few minutes.

Her attorney, Mr. Ralph, said that Mrs. Westervelt had been subject to fainting fits since she was injured by a street car at Virgilina avenue and Bowen street six years ago.

The suit, in which Mr. Westervelt also appears as a plaintiff, is the outcome of that accident.

The case was tried once, but resulted in a hung jury. When Mr. Westervelt was able to appear in Judge Hough's court, the case was called for trial again.

Judge Duncan, one of the 14 members of the venire, was challenged by Judge Hough because he confessed to a prejudiced and biased damage suit. This was the second challenge of the case, and was held over until the October term. It had already been tried twice, each trial resulting in a hung jury.

ROBBED BY FOOTPADS

LOUISVILLE, Ky., June 19.—Logan C. Murray, president of the American National Bank and one of the best-known financiers in the country, was held up at gunpoint last night, as he was returning from church, and robbed of his gold watch and chain and a few dollars, all he had about him.

WOMEN MEDIUMS CLASH; "SPIRITS" ARE DISTURBED

Each Calls Other "Fake" and Now Causes Expulsion of President Stewart and Treasurer, Rev. Mrs. Folsom.

MISS PRESTON, WARRIOR, RESIGNS FROM ORDER

Foe's License as Minister Is Revoked—Says She Will Hang On to Funds and Appeal to National Association.

Dead Wife Organized "Spirit" Surprise Party. C. W. STEWART, PRESIDENT. With three spirit pictures who, he says, posed with him two years ago and he didn't know it until the plate was developed. Afterward his dead wife said she organized the spirit photo party as a surprise for him.

Trouble which has been fermenting in the ranks of the St. Louis branch of the State Progressive Spiritualists Association for two months, came to a head Saturday when the president and treasurer of the order were expelled by the executive meeting.

At least, Oscar F. Everts, editor and press agent of the order and its official spokesman, says they have been expelled, but C. W. Stewart, the President, and Mrs. Josie K. Folsom, the Treasurer, say there is nothing legal about the expulsion.

A third corner of the trouble is Miss Ella C. Preston, an assistant missionary. The press agent says Miss Preston's resignation has been accepted; Miss Preston says the same thing. So there is clearly no room for doubt on that score.

Mrs. Folsom and Stewart say Miss Preston is the cause of all the trouble; Miss Preston admits that, also. Therefore the doubt on that point vanishes.

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Stewart seems to have been involved only as a friend of Mrs. Folsom.

Mrs. Folsom and Mr. Stewart say they will fight their expulsion before the National Spiritualists' Association, and before the courts, if necessary.

In addition to the fine and imprisonment the law makes it incumbent on the Excise Commissioner to revoke the license of the offender and under no circumstances when the license is revoked for this cause may a new one be issued.

When the provisions of the new law became known Monday, there was a mild-sized panic among the bellboys employed at the St. Louis hotels.

Manager Cochran of the Planters said that he had made ample provision by employing two young men to serve drinks of thread.

"The bellboys," said he, "are not required to serve intoxicating liquors to any guests."

Miss Walker of the Jefferson Hotel said he saw the new law would be reflected in the letter he did not believe it would result in a wholesale decapitation of bell boys.

In great demand and several husky-looking young men, who cannot be classed as minors, are doing duty as waiters.

Mrs. Folsom, at her home, 3067 Dickson street, told a Post-Dispatch reporter Monday morning that her expulsion was an outrage, and that he would not permit it to stand.

"We were elected to office in February," said Stewart.

"Early in April Mrs. Folsom called on Miss Preston at her home, 326 Morgan street. They had been good friends.

Miss Preston told Mrs. Folsom that an officer of the association had charged her with being a fraud as a medium, and had abused her shamefully; and Mrs. Folsom, as a friend of Miss Preston, became indignant. Then Miss Preston said the man had declared Mrs. Folsom was also a fraud. This made Mrs. Folsom indignant."

"We want to see the man," continued Mr. Stewart, "and asked him about it. He said he had declared Miss Preston was a fraud; that she had given many "fake" seances and manifestations; that she had no powers as a medium. But he denied that he had ever charged Mrs. Folsom with being a fraud."

"And offered to let him off if he had done such a thing," interpolated Mrs. Folsom.

"We reported to Mrs. Folsom," resumed Mr. Stewart, "and she determined to settle the matter with Miss Preston and find out where the matter lay. She went to call on Miss Preston. Miss Preston had several friends, among them the officer of the association who was charged with having made the charges. Mrs. Folsom went into the house and they locked the door on her."

Mrs. Folsom confirmed this statement with a scornful smile.

"Mrs. Folsom was indignant at being locked in the room, and she manifested her indignation. She declared

"WILL I OBEY GOV. FOLK? DON'T KNOW"

Sheriff Herpel

County Official Receives Governor's Letter Directing Him to Stop Turf Gambling.

"HAVEN'T DECIDED YET"

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The case of George E. Nichols, bookmaker, was dismissed on a charge of violating the law which forbids the recording of bets at racetracks, has been set for trial before Justice of the Peace of St. Louis County Tuesday morning.

WILLIE CAN'T "RUSH CAN" FOR PAPA

New Dramshop Law Will Punish Saloon Keepers Who Sells Drinks to Minors.

St. Louis saloon keepers and individuals and firms dispensing intoxicating liquors are being notified by the police that they must not employ persons under 21 years of age about their premises or sell or give away to them liquor of any kind, in accordance with the amended dramshop law passed by the recent Missouri Legislature, which denounces this offense as a misdemeanor of punishment by a fine ranging from \$40 to \$100 or a jail sentence of three months or both.

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When the provisions of the new law became known Monday, there was a mild-sized panic among the bellboys employed at the St. Louis hotels.

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"The bellboys," said he, "are not required to serve intoxicating liquors to any guests."

Miss Walker of the Jefferson Hotel said he saw the new law would be reflected in the letter he did not believe it would result in a wholesale decapitation of bell boys.

In great demand and several husky-looking young men, who cannot be classed as minors, are doing duty as waiters.

Mrs. Folsom, at her home, 3067 Dickson street, told a Post-Dispatch reporter Monday morning that her expulsion was an outrage, and that he would not permit it to stand.

"We were elected to office in February," said Stewart.

"Early in April Mrs. Folsom called on Miss Preston at her home, 326 Morgan street. They had been good friends.

Miss Preston told Mrs. Folsom that an officer of the association had charged her with being a fraud as a medium, and had abused her shamefully; and Mrs. Folsom, as a friend of Miss Preston, became indignant. Then Miss Preston said the man had declared Mrs. Folsom was also a fraud. This made Mrs. Folsom indignant."

"We want to see the man," continued Mr. Stewart, "and asked him about it. He said he had declared Miss Preston was a fraud; that she had given many "fake" seances and manifestations; that she had no powers as a medium. But he denied that he had ever charged Mrs. Folsom with being a fraud."

"And offered to let him off if he had done such a thing," interpolated Mrs. Folsom.

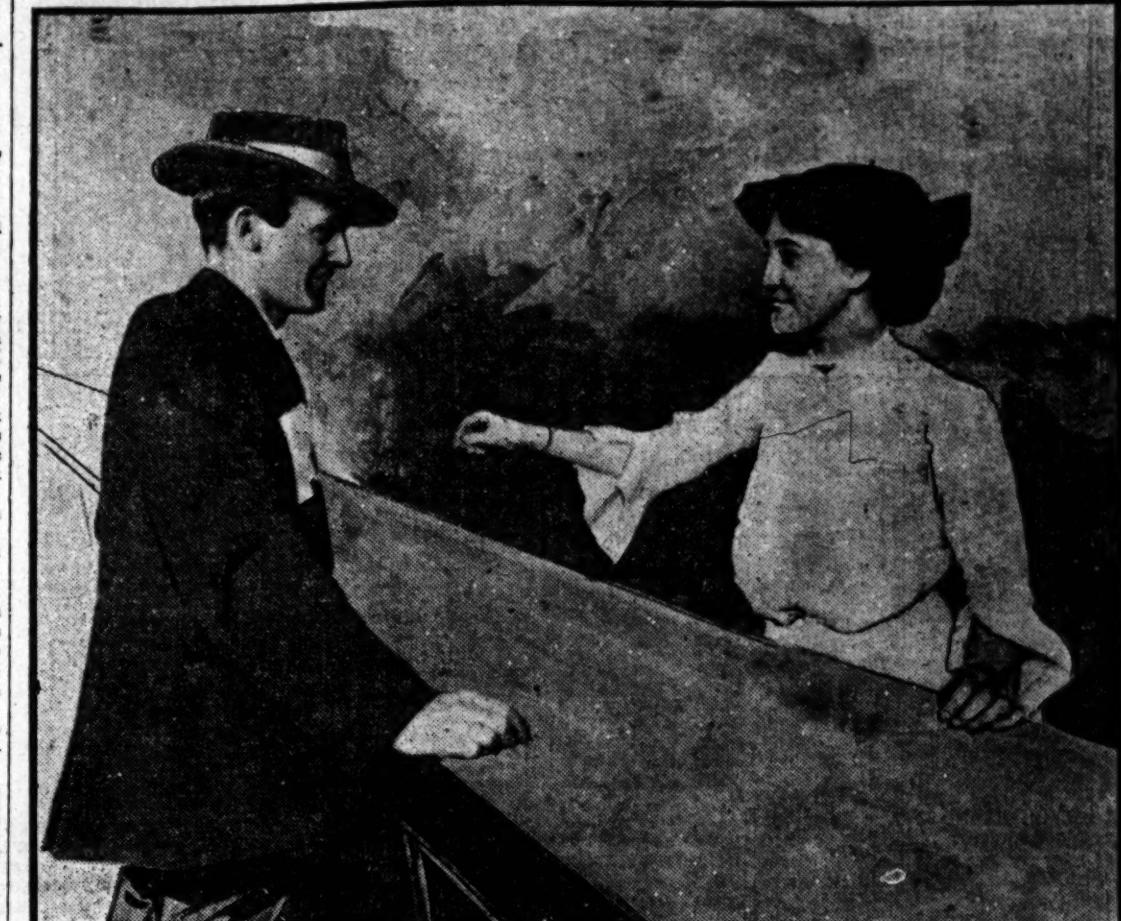
"We reported to Mrs. Folsom," resumed Mr. Stewart, "and she determined to settle the matter with Miss Preston and find out where the matter lay. She went to call on Miss Preston. Miss Preston had several friends, among them the officer of the association who was charged with having made the charges. Mrs. Folsom went into the house and they locked the door on her."

Mrs. Folsom confirmed this statement with a scornful smile.

"Mrs. Folsom was indignant at being locked in the room, and she manifested her indignation. She declared

PRETTY SHOPGIRL CAPTURES IVAN WHIN'S REPRESENTATIVE

PRICE (In St. Louis, One Cent
Outside St. Louis, Two Cents.)



MISS EMMA LANG RECOGNIZING THE \$50 MAN.

"I recognize you as the Post-Dispatch novelist, Ivan Whin!" said the girl. "I'm sorry," said the young man. "Why?" "Because I AM Ivan Whin!"

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AS A REWARD FOR IDENTIFYING THE REPRESENTATIVE OF THE POST-DISPATCH

NOVELIST, IVAN WHIN.

Miss Emma Lang.

JUNE 19, 1905.

Miss Emma Lang, Salesgirl at the Notion Counter in the Famous Store, Identifies the Right Man at Noon Today and Receives Fifty Dollars in Gold From the Post-Dispatch.

When he came into the store this noon we were all very busy. There was the Monday rush of shoppers, and all the girls had their hands full.

There was a slight lull in my trade and I was looking around the store, and not at anything in particular, when a young man waiting for a parcel of thread came to my counter.

He was a nice-looking young man, and I gave him a second glance.

Then it came over me in a flash that he was Ivan Whin's representative.

I studied those pictures which were printed in the Post-Dispatch yesterday, and I felt sure while I was looking at him that I ever saw him. I would know him. And sure enough I did know him.

At first I was afraid to go up to him and I spoke to several of the other girls. They looked at him and agreed with me that he was very like the picture, but none of them would go up to him, and say that they recognized him.

So I decided what I would do. I did not want to speak to him with many people standing near, for I might be mistaken and there were lots of them standing around him. So I beckoned him to come down to the end of the counter.

He was a nice-looking young man, and I gave him a second glance.

"I recognize you as the Post-Dispatch novelist, Ivan Whin."

"I dare you to, Emma," said one.

Then I knew it was all off. Emma did not look like a girl who takes a dare to that sort of thing.

I wished I was out of there, but the spool of thread was still there and I could not lose my 5-cent purchase.

Miss Lang came toward me and then whispered and whispered some more.

"It's all right, I said, and I said one.

"You said the others."

"Then I knew it was all off. Emma did not look like a girl who takes a dare to that sort of thing.

I wished I was out of there, but the spool of thread was still there and I could not lose my 5-cent purchase.

Miss Lang came toward me and then whispered and whispered some more.

"It's all right, I said, and I said one.

"Men, you have never shopped, you don't know half the pleasure of life. It's inexpensive, too. It cost me just \$40 to buy this."

"North on Tenth I walked to Locust, east on Locust to Seventh street. At the southwest corner there I saw a young man reading a newspaper, which he had borrowed from a little newsboy. I watched him studying my picture and then saw him give the paper back to the boy.

I walked north to St. Charles, east to St. Charles to Sixth, north on Sixth to the May store on Washington avenue.

As dumb as a man always is in a woman's store, I had to travel all over the main floor and take up the moving staircase before I found the ribbon counter. I bought two wide stripes of ribbon, blue-and-white, Washburn & University colors I think. The girl who made the sale said:

"Going to decorate yourself, aren't you?"

"She gave me the pin with which I fastened the ribbon to the lapel of my coat. The ribbon cost seven cents."

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WATCHMAN'S TALES KEPT HIM HIS JOB

Daily He Told Employer of Attacks on Revival Tent He Had Repelled.

POLICE DETAIL TO HIS AID

When Arrested He Says He Is a Deserter From Salvation Army.

William Ruhl, sometimes known as William Hau, has unique ideas about obtaining a job and holding it. He also has original ideas, the police say, about deceiving them by weird tales that are not hampered by the presence of truth.

Ruhl was in Dayton Street Police Court, Monday, accused of being a deserter from some army, somewhere, some time, also with being a prevaricator.

Ruhl appeared a month ago at a tent at 2330 Easton avenue, where Mrs. M. E. Woodburn-Etter was holding religious services. He told her that a number of bad men and boys in the vicinity had objections to the services she was holding, and were preparing to wreck her tent.

In order to avoid such a contingency, Mrs. Woodburn-Etter hired Ruhl as a night watchman.

Every night Ruhl guarded the tent and every morning he reported to Mrs. Etter that he had been attacked during the night, that rocks had been thrown at him and that only his courage and strength had saved his life and the integrity of the tent. He exhibited piles of stones which he said had been hurled in his direction.

To further nail down his job, he caused the arrest of two boys, and they were fined in Dayton Street Police Court. Recent events have made the police conclude that possibly an apology is due those boys.

Several times the tent ropes were found severed.

Police Found Only Peace.

"The enemy did it," asserted Ruhl, and he told graphic tales of the struggle that he had had with the marauders. Finally Mrs. Etter, who believed the stories told by her night watchman, decided that the post was too strenuous for one man and that he was taking unnecessary risks.

He appealed to the police and special officers were detailed to watch Ruhl and the tent. They watched and saw nothing but stories of assaults, bombardments and battles, but none regularly each day. And piles of rocks were exhibited as proof of the severity of the attack that he had witnessed.

Sunday night Ruhl was arrested and taken to Dayton Street Police Station. There he began talking and telling his story. He said he was a deserter from the army and two policemen argued with him an hour before he would tell more.

Then he said that he was formerly a member of Company B, Fifth Infantry, and that he had deserted in New York. When he was asked why he had left the Hoosier, Ruhl surprised them by saying:

"That was not the regular army, you know. It was the Salvation Army."

Monday Ruhl changed his stories and blamed his troubles on the police. He denied that he had deserted the Salvation Army and said that the police had forced him to make a confession that was not true.

But he stuck to his tales of fearsome attack while guarding Mrs. Etter's tent.

Barefoot sandals for man, woman and child. See windows for prices at Boehmer's.

Warrant for Saloon Keeper.

A warrant was issued Monday for Shirley Watkinson, who has a saloon at Fifteenth and Locust streets, for violating the law by him with violating the midnight closing ordinance.

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Is the Best Soap for all Purposes

It is numbered among the household necessities and making new friends every day.

Contains no lye; is made of strictly pure vegetable oils and is an absolutely pure soap.

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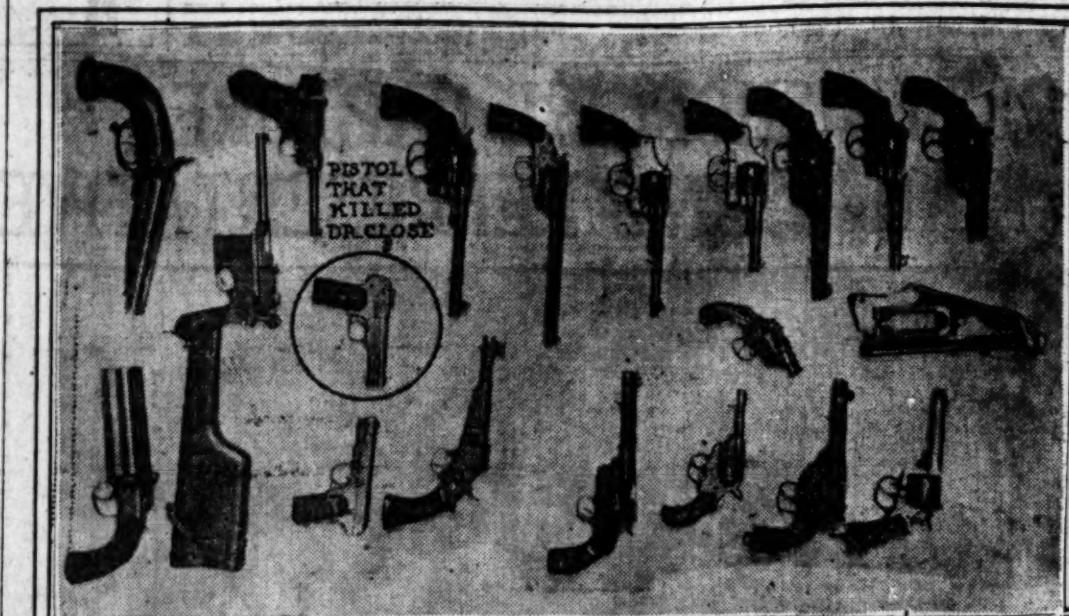
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Did Dr. Close Fire Shot That Killed Him? Powder Burns in Experimental Shots Indicate HE DID NOT

DR. CLOSE'S REMARKABLE COLLECTION OF PISTOLS.



DR. CLOSE'S PISTOLS

PISTOL FIRED AT 2 INCHES:
DISCOLORATION SHOWS HOW
FLASH SCORCHED FABRIC; EDGE
AROUND BULLET HOLE BURNED
CRISP.

BULLET FIRED AT 6 INCHES
INTO MATERIAL LIKE DR. CLOSE'S
SHIRT; DISCOLORATION IS BLOOD
STAIN; FABRIC NOT SCORCHED
NOR MARKED BY POWDER GRAINS.
BLACK SPECKS ARE POWDER
GRAINS.

MANY SEEK HOMES IN SUBDIVISIONS

Remaining Lots in Tower Grove Heights to Be Disposed of This Afternoon.

As a result of the liberal use of the advertising columns of the Post-Dispatch sales at the various subdivisions Saturday and Sunday were marked by very large attendance. While there was some speculative buying, the majority of the purchasers were home-seekers with immediate building plans.

At Tower Grove Heights the throngs were immense, and while the prices ranged from \$1,000 to \$10,000 in some instances below what the property had brought at private sale, the results on the whole were very satisfactory.

The Tower Grove Heights auction sale will be resumed this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Two hundred and eighty-six thousand dollars of lots were sold there Saturday.

Mr. Anderson, Vice-President of the Mercantile Trust Co., said this morning that remaining ones would be cleaned up at this afternoon's sale.

The bidding at Saturday's sale, he said, was spirited throughout and the property was knocked down in rapid order, bargains in almost every instance being secured.

Fairbanks Park is entirely out of the market. This tract was presented by David P. Leahy Saturday morning at 10 o'clock. It was subdivided into 36 lots.

Sixty lots were sold Saturday and the remaining 40 were disposed of Sunday afternoon. Fairbanks Park is located at St. Louis and Belt avenues. It is one of the most desirable medium priced residence tracts that has been placed on the market this year.

The Edgewood Park sale will not

take place until next Saturday. Hundreds of persons will visit this property yesterday, however, and from the interest evinced the indications are that it will not remain long on the market. The tract is being handled by the Franklin Investment Co., in the De Menil Building. It is located on the west line of the Edgewood in Northwest St. Louis, and is beautifully situated for residence purposes.

Large crowds were also present at Olive Heights. This sale will be held next Saturday. Olive Heights is located just north of the Olive street road and is suitable for residence purposes.

The lots there are most desirable for residence purposes, and it is predicted that they will enjoy a quick sale. This tract is being marketed by George E. Scott & Co.

WABASH CHANGE OF TIME.

On and after June 25, train now leaving St. Louis for Toledo, Pittsburgh, Detroit, Buffalo, New York and Boston at 9:30 p.m. will leave at 8:30 p.m.

See our windows for reduced prices on boys' and girls' tan shoes. Boehmer, 410 Broadway.

Buggy Struck by Car.

Mrs. William J. Fitzgerald of 4028 Edison avenue received two scalp wounds by being thrown from a buggy struck by a car on the Grand avenue viaduct at 10:30 a.m. Saturday. Mrs. Fitzgerald, City Hospital she was sent home. The buggy was damaged to the extent of \$25.

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LIGHTNING HITS BIG TANK.

LIMA, O., June 18.—A 25,000-barrel tank of naphtha was struck by lightning today. Less than 100 barrels of the oil could be pumped from the tank after it became too hot to handle. The loss is figured at nearly \$200,000.

The Celebrity barefoot sandals cost no more than ordinary sandals. Boehmer Shoe Co.

EXPERT SAYS PISTOL 3 FEET FROM BODY

When Frank P. Ford, gun expert for the Simmons Hardware Co., was asked for his opinion of the shot that caused the death of Dr. Close, he said it was not a "clean" shot, but because it was fired, he made a number of personal experiments in the basement of the Simmons building with a revolver of the identical make of the one which killed Dr. Close, and loaded with cartridges of the same make as those found in the pistol.

This weapon was a Browning's patent revolver—a hammerless safety, which will not explode when dropped, according to both Mr. Ford and Chief of Detectives Desmond.

The bullet used is lead, encased in a steel jacket, fired by smokeless powder.

After making his experiments and taking careful note of each, Mr. Ford's conclusion, based on the following facts, was this:

"The muzzle of the revolver that inflicted the death wound of Dr. Close must have been at least three feet from him when the weapon was discharged."

(1) On the shirt which Dr. Close wore at the time he was shot, there was NO INDICATION of scorch or powder burns.

(2) Mr. Ford in his experiments used cloth similar to that of which Dr. Close's shirt was made.

CAMP MEETING AT NAYLOR.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NAYLOR, Mo., June 19.—The camp meeting which opened Saturday with good attendance was thronged yesterday, as each of the seven evangelists were delivered by Revs. J. A. Wheatley, Howard W. Sweeten of St. Louis, Rev. J. W. Bell, the evangelist, is here and other speakers are arriving daily to increase.

COLLINGWOOD, Ontario, June 19.—The lake steamship City of Collingwood valued at \$80,000,000 today at 10 o'clock. The deckhands were burned to death. The flames spread to the Grand Trunk Railroad freight sheds, which were also burned.

AMERICANS FIGHT BULLS.

EL PASO, Tex., June 19.—For the first time in history an American troupe of bull fighters entered the ring against the totes Sunday night in Ciudad, Mex.

The fighters were all baseball players from El Paso and "Brownie" Chamberlain, well known in diamond circles, was one of the matadores. In the arena of the Plaza de Toros, and before a tremendous audience these young Americans handled the banderillas, the capes and the sword with dexterity and the audience cheered wildly.

A bull fight by electric light is a novelty, but Americans as toreros, capeadores and swordsmen can give a sensation even on the border, and many hundreds of dollars were raised for the Banito Juarez Improvement fund for which the fair was given. The citizens of Juarez attended and many Americans filled the tiers of seats and cheered the fighters. Their descendants, the Americans, did exceptionally well with the banderillas and the sword, and although they were much younger than the fighters, the fight was without accident, precautions having been taken and American physicians were on hand to attend any who might be injured.

SEE WINDOW DISPLAY FOR OTHER VALUES.

Olive and 8th St. Stahl's Opp. Post Office

The Simmons Company

We Would Like To Agree With the Weather Man, But We Can't See Anything But Fair Weather In Sight.

Rookwood Pottery

When you want a wedding gift that is out of the ordinary and is certain not to be duplicated, send a piece of Rookwood. Made in innumerable beautiful designs in vases, urns, lamps, trays, etc.

We believe the weather Tuesday will be fair and cooler.

June 20, 1905, it rained; temperature, max., 81; min., 68.

Broadway & St. Charles

IVAN WHIN IS IDENTIFIED BY PRETTY GIRL

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In the Grand Leader, I had as much trouble finding the safety-pin counter as I had getting ribbons at the May Store. Many of the girls thought I wanted to buy a safety pin. I asked the blushing young man, with the ribbons on his coat, asking for safety-pins.

"Large or small?" asked the salesgirl.

"Medium," I told her. The pins cost six cents.

Leaving by the Broadway entrance, after a fearful struggle to get through the crowds of shoppers, I walked north on Broadway to the Famous.

I had lots of fun finding the thread counter, and think I must have asked half a dozen girl clerks before I located it.

I asked for Clark's thread, but the brown-haired girl said she didn't have any.

"I'll get it for you," she said.

"And then we'll go to the window.

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